





LADIES' WATERPROOF CLOAKS.

Vol. XLIII. No. 7392.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & Gotch, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMUEL DRAGON & Co., 150 & 154,

SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will Leadenhall Street. W. M. WILLS, 151, be held at the Honokone Dispensary, on MONDAY, the 2nd day of May next, at 3 Cannon Street, E.C. PARIS AND EUROPE :- AMEDEI PRINCE | o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General & Co. 36. Rue Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK :- ANDREW WIND, 21, Park Manager, together with a Statement of Ac-

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- BRAN & BLACK, San Fran-AUSTRALIA: TASMANIA, AND NEW

days inclusive, during which period no ZEALAND :-- GORDON & GOTOR, Mel-Transfer of Shares can be registered. bourne and Sydney. CEYLON :- W. M. SMITH & Co., THE APOTHECARIES Co., Colombo. SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.:-SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore. C. HEYNSZEN

& Oo. Manila. CHINA :- Macao, F. A. DE CRUZ. Swatow, Quelch & Co. Amoy, N. Moalle. Foochow, Henge & Co. Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. Yokohama, LANE, CHAW-FORD & Co., and KELLY & Co. each day at 10.30 a.m.

Banks. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

PAID-UP CAPITAL,.....\$7,500,000 RESERVE FUND,......\$4,500,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$ \$7,500,000

CORPORATION.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman -M. GROTE, Esq. Deputy Chairman-C. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esq. Hon. J. Bell Irving. | E. H. M. HUNTING-W. H. F. DARBY, Esq. TON, Esq. H. L. DALBYMPLE, Hon. A. P. McEwen. A. McIVER, Esq.

Hon. F. D. SASSOON. H. Hoppius, Esq. OHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong,.....THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. Acting Chief Manager-John Walter, Esq. MANAGER.

Shanghai,.....Ewen Camenon, Esq. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits!-For 3 months, 3 per cent, per annum. 4 per cent. 5 per cent. "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oredits granted on approved Socurities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia. America, China and Japan. JOHN WALTER. Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 26, 1887. NOTICE.

TO ULES OF THE HONGKONG IN SAVINGS' BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3. - Depositors in the Savings' Bank having

\$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Bongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4. Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily balances. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin-ning of July.

6 .- Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7. Withdrawals may be made on demand

but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent and the production of his Pass-Book

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, June 7, 1884.

Intimations.

CANTON. INSURANCE OFFICE. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

First Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER A CENT. upon Contributions for the year 1886 has This Day been declared. WARRANTS may be had on application the above Office on and after the 5th Pedder Street, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 29th day of April, 1887, at 12 of the Proximo.

Olock noon), at which the following Special JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Resolutions will be brought forward :-General Agents CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, April 20, 1887. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

First Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER CERR. upon Contributions for the year 1886 has This Day been declared. WARRANTS may be had on application at the Oprice of the Society on and after the 30th Instant.

By Order of the Board, N. J. EDE, Secretary.

Hongkong, April 18, 1887.

Hougkopg, April 14, 1887.

Dollars.

號五十月四年七十八百八千一英

Intimations.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LD.

TOTICE is hereby given that the

The REGISTER of SHARES will be

CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 30th

April, to MONDAY, the 2nd May, both

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THIRD PRIZE MEETING.

'110 be held at the Kowloon Rances on

the 29th and 30th April, commencing

A Launch will leave Peddar's Wharf

FIRST COMPERITION: -For Martini-Henry

Rifles or Carbines. Open to all Comers.

Distance 300 and 500 yards, 5 Shots

at each distance. Position any. 15

Prizes ranging from \$20 to \$3, present-

ed by the Officers of the Garrison, to

be competed for at any time during the

Rifles or Carbines. Distance 200 and

500 yards, 7 Shots at each distance.

Position any. Open to all Members.

Prizes Two Cups. All Winners at

former meetings excluded. Entrance

Rifles or Carbines. Open to Members

500 yards, 7 Shots at each distance.

Position any. Cup presented by E. L.

tance 200, 500 and 600 yards, 5 Shots

at each. Position any. Open to all Comers. Prizes:—One-fifth to each

Range, Two-fifths for best aggregate

score, less 20 to the Funds of the

to Hongkong Volunteers only, whether

Members of the Association or not.

Distance 200 and 500 yards, 5 Shots at

each distance. Position any, Prize

-A Cup presented by Messrs. Holmes

& WCOLLEY. Winners at previous

meetings excluded. Entrance Fee 50

tauce 900 yards, Shots 10. Position

any. Open to all Mombers of the

Association. Prize :- a Cup. Entrance

to all Comers during the meeting.

a shot. 80 % divided amongst Bulls

Martini-Henry Rifles or Carbines.

Distance 150 yards, Ten Shots. Posi-

tion any. Prizes :- \$15, \$10 and \$5.

tini-Henry Rifles or Caroines. Dis-

Ammunition can be obtained from the

SECRETARY, at the Rate of \$2.50 per 100

Intending Competitors requested to notify

The form annexed to the Circular

PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA

BAMANTAN MINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

OTIOE is hereby given to the SHARE

N. HOLDERS of the above Company

that in pursuance of Article 11 of the Com-

pany's Articles of Association a FINAL

the 3rd day of June, 1887, Payable at the

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING COR-

And further that INTEREST at the Rate

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

A. O'D. GOURDIN.

Secretary.

will be CLOSED from the 27th May to the

3rd June, 1887, both days inclusive.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOG

WHARF AND GODOWN COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-

ORDINARY General MEETING

That the Maximum Number of Directors

authorized by Article No. 70 of the

will be held at the Company's OFFICE in

of 10 PER CENT. per Annum will be Charged

on ALL CALLS which shall remain UNPAID

after the 3rd day of June, 1887.

Hongkong, April 16, 1887.

must be filled up and returned to-

gether with full amount of Eu-

trance Fees in Cash before the 26th

ALF. WOOLLEY.

Hon. Sec. & Treasurer.

the Undersigned, which of the Competi-

tance 150 yards, Six Shots. Position

VANISHING TARGET COMPETITION :- For

MOVING TARGET COMPETITION :- For Mar-

Entrance Fee 50 Cents.

trance Fee 50 Cents.

tors may enter more than once.

tions they desire to be entered for.

of April, 1887.

Hongkong, April 20, 1887.

Bulla' Eyes only to count, Ten Cents

SIXTH COMPETITION :- For any Rifle. Dis-

POOL TARGETS :- 200 and 500 yards. Open

WOODIN, Esq. Entrance Fee \$2.00.

FOURTH COMPETITION: -Sweepstakes. Mar-

tini-Henry Riftes or Carbines.

Association. Entrance Fee \$5.

FIFTH COMPETITION: - For Carbines. Open

THIRD COMPETITION :-- For Martini-Henry

meeting. Entrance Fee 50 Cents.

SECOND COMPETITION: -For Maritini-Henry

H. A. WOOLNOUGH,

Secretary.

counts to the 31st December, 1886.

Hongkong, April 23, 1887.

each day at 9.30 a.m.

Fee-\$2.00.

Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the

HONGKONG, MONDAY, APRIL 25, 1887.

summer!

Business Notices.

HAVE NOW UNPACKED THEIR FIRST DELIVERIES OF NEW GOODS FOR THEIR

GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT, including MANY NOVELTIES in :-INDERSHIRTS and DRAWERS. Fancy and Plain SUMMER HALF-HOSE. New LAWN TENNIS JERSEYS.

SILK and WOOL and SILK TENNIS SHIRTS. Fancy CAMBRIC SCARVES and TIES. The Newest SUMMER CRAVATS. LADIES' Fancy BATH WRAPS. BATH TOWELS and SPONGES. UMBRELLAS and RAIN COMTS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s Special Extra Thin CAMBRIC SHIRTS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s 'TROPICAL' FELT HATS. TERAI, SOFT FELT, and TENNIS HATS. SUN HATS and STRAW HATS.

A full Assortment of SUMMER BOOTS, TENNIS SHOES, and TENNIS BATS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, April 19, 1887.

J. COOK, Proprietor. HOTEL IS CENTRALLY SITUATED AND WITHIN A FEW MINUTES' WALK FROM THE PRINCIPAL LANDING PLACES.

ACCOMMODATION FOR VISITORS. CHARGES MODERATE. TIFFIN at. 1 o'Clock. DINNER at 7.30.

VENTILATED BILLIARD ENGLISH AND AMERICAN TABLES. TIFFIN 50 CENTS. DINNER 75 CENTS. WINES, SPIRITS AND MALT LIQUORS OF THE VERY BEST QUALITY ONLY.

Hongkong, April 1, 1887. KELLY & WALSH, LD., of Hongkong Club, who are Members of the Association. Distance 200 and HONGKONG.

NEW DANCE MUSIC. 'Leaves and Flowers' Waltz, by C. Deacon. 'Fond Hearts' Waltz, by Aigrette, 'Evelyn' Waltz, by J. P. Clarke. 'Our Diva' Waltz, by Liddell. Queen of My Heart' Waltz, from 'Dorothy 'The Saionara' Waltz, by C. Lowthian. 'Sonnenschien' Waltz, by C. Lowthian. Bellevue' Waltz, by Ph. Fahrbach. 'Little Sailors' Waltz, by A. G. Crowe. 'Phyllis' Waltz, by Bucallossi. Our Last' Waltz, by C. Lamothe. Dorothy' Waltz, by P. Bucalozzi Never to Part' Waltz, by Lila Clay.

Chattermag Polka, by Alf Moul.

Dorothy, Quadrille, by P. Bucalossi.

Jockey' Quadrille, by Hamilton Clarke.

Pedlar's Song, by A. C. Mackenzie. With a Welcome for All, from Dorothy. The Sheriff's Man,' from ' Dorothy.' 'Old Droams, from 'Dorothy.' 'The Garden of Sleep,' by J. De Lara. 'At Evensong,' by O. Lowthian. 'Fair is My Love,' by A. C. Mackenzie.
'A Valentine,' by S. B. Schlesinger. 'Be Wise in Time,' from 'Dorothy.' 'The Emigrant's Return,' by L. Williams. The Falling Star,' by M. M. Rac. We Kissed again with Tears, by L. Kellie. Weary I am of Foreign Parts,' from 'Our Diva.

NEW SONGS.

'For Ever Nearer,' by A. Romill.

'The Fairy Ring, by H. Aide.

'Caught,' by Hatton

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONGKONG. Hongkong, March 12, 1887.

LANG ROBERT

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outsitters, QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

ARRIVALS.

OUR SPRING STOCK OF

any. Prizes :-\$15, \$10 and \$5. En-CENTLEMEN'S SHIRTS and COLLARS, For Fourth Competition, the Vanishing. and Moving Target Competitions, Competi-

UNDERVESTS, PANTS and HALF-HOSE,

BOOTS and SHOES,

CHRISTY'S FELT, TERAI and STRAW HATS, UMBRELLAS,

HANDKERCHIEFS, &c.

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

Hongkong, April 6, 1887.

Victoria Exotel,

IIIHIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and siry positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government-Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c, has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now ove of the principal Horers in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East, The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL CALL of \$5 PER SHARE will be made on

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIAND and Smoring Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Mesers. DORABJEE & HING KEE, Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

NEW BATHING DRAWERS.

NEW BATH BLANKETS.

NEW MACINTOSUS.

New Umbrellas.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Furnishing Department. Gentlemen's Outfitting. NEW FLOOR OIL CLOTHS. 738 NEW HATS. NEW SHIRTS. NEW STAIR OIL CLOTES. NEW COLLARS. NEW TABLE LINES. New Vests. NEW TABLE NAPKINS. NEW DRAWERS. NEW SHEETINGS.

NEW BONNETS. NEW FLOWEES. NEW FEATHERS. New Aigrettes. NEW WINGS. NEW LICES. NEW RIBBONS. NEW SILE GLOVES NEW BOOTS AND SHOES.

&c., &c., &c. VICTORIA EXCHANGE, April 23, 1887. (T E L E P H C N E 21). NOTICE AR. GRIFFITH having made atrange. HONGRONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK

present Articles of Association shall be raised from Nine to Twelve. That the words Ten Thousand Dollars shall be inserted in Article No. 81 of the present Articles of Association | tion of the contract for pulling down and in lieu of the words Seven Thousand rebuilding.

That the word and figure 'Clause 3' in the seventh line of Article No. 19 of the present Articles of Association be climinated from the said Article. which shall be read as if the said word and figure had never been therein inserted.

ISAAO HUGHES, Secretary,

NOTICE

ments to remain on as a WEEKLY TENANT his STUDIO WORK will be carried on as heretofore, pending the comple-

WHEN THE STUDIO WILL BE CLOSED.

This has been considerately agreed to, so that he may be able to complete the work in hand and take sittings from those signed is requested, when immediate steps who may wish to favour him by making will be taken to require the parise of disearly appointments for portraiture. Correspondents at the ports will please take this as a reply to their NUMBEOUS ENQUIRIES. Hongkong, March 31, 1837

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NEW TAPESTRIES.

NEW DOOR MATS.

BATHING TENTS.

&c. &c. &c.

NEW HEARTH RUGS.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Prays Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersatisfaction.

Secretary. 695 Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

OHINESE IMPERIAN GOVERNMENT

Intimations.

EIGHT PER CENT. LOAN or 1881. EIGHTH AND LAST DRAWING.

TOTICE is hereby given that all the BONDS of the above LOAN now

Remaining UNDRAWN will be paid off at Par at the Offices of the Hondkond and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION OR the 24th day of April, 1887, when the Interest thereon will Cease to be payable. The INTEREST due on the said Bonds on the 24th day of April, 1887, will be paid

on that date. BOND HOLDERS can be supplied with the Numbers of the Bonds remaining Undrawn on application. For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, Agents Issuing the Loan, JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 23, 1887.

HONGKONG CLUB. NOTICE.

A NEXTRAORDINARY General MEET-ING of the MEMBERS of the CLUB will be held at the CLUB HOUSE, on FRI-DAY, 29th Inst., at 4.30 p.m., for the purpose of Confirming the Resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting on the with the Electric Light. 13th Instant.

> By Order, C. H. GRACE,

Secretary. Hongkong, April 18, 1887

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., 607 | Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. NTAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND N METEOROLOGICAL

> INSTRUMENTS. VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.

> English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware. Christofie & Co.'s ELEUTRO-PLATED WARE GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety. DIAMONDS

DIAMOND JEWELLERY. A Splendid Collection of the Latest London Patterns, at very moderate prices, 742

STRAITS INSURANCE Coy., LD. STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE Cox., LD PPLICATIONS for the Post of A SECRETARY to the above Companies, addressed to LOUIS R. GLASS, Esq., CHARMAN, Straits Insurance Company, Limited, Singapore, will be Received

C. D. KERR

till the 30th Instant, at the HEAD OFFICE.

Hongkong, April 14, 1887. NOTICE.

By Order of the Directors,

WE Have This DAY, REMOVED to the 1st FLOOR of No. 60. Ourse's ROAE, opposite our Old Offices. DENNYS & MOSSOP, Solicitors & Notaries.

Hongkong, March 26, 1887. NOTICE.

GLASGOW FIRM, with Practical Experience of the HARDWARE and ENGINEERS' Tool TRADES, is prepared to act in England for good Houses on Commission. First-class references. Replies to be addressed, 57 Hope Street, care of this Office. Hongkong, April 11, 1887.

DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG. Surgeon Dentist .. (FORMERLY ARTICLED APPRENTICE AND LAT TERLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROCERS,) A T the urgent request of his European A and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS.

No. 2, DUDDELL STREET. CONSULTATION FREE

Discount to missionaries and families. Sole Address 2. DUDDELL STREET. (Next to the New Oriental Bank.) Hongkong, January 12, 1885.

For Sale.

FOR SALE

TULES MUMM & CHAMPAGNE, Pints 2 0 Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS AND WHITE WINES

Baxter's Celebrated 'Barley Bree' WHISKY, -- \$7# per Case of 1 doz GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1884.

FOR SALE. A TUNOHENER BEER FÜRSTENBRÄU,

SUPERIOR LAGER BEER. Apply to RADECKER & Co.,

Sole Agents.

Hongkong, March 80, 1887. WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.)

TTASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for too use VV of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office. - Price, \$1 sach. CULTA MAIL Office

日三初月四年亥丁

Shipping. Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND

TAIWANFOO.

The Co.'s Steamship .Thales. Capt. Goddard, will be Capt. Goddard, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 26th Instant, at Noon, instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to

General Managers. Hongkong, April 23, 1887.

THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE Calling at PORT DARWIN, and taking through Cargo for BRISBANE, ADELAIDE, TASMANIA, NEW

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

ZEALAND, &c.) The British Steamer Captain Prace, due Today, with part Cargo from JAPAN, will be despatched as above at 6 p.m. on TUESDAY; the 26th Instant. The Steamer has excellent Accommodation for First-class Passengers, and is fitted

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Managers.

Hougkong, April 23, 1887.

FOR SINGAPORE. The Steamship Deuteros will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 28th Inst., at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

AH YON & Co. Hongkong, April 22, 1887.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and

The Co.'s Steamship Glaucus. Captain HANNAH, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 28th Instant.

Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hongkong, April 20, 1887.

FOR SHANGHAI. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rate for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Anchises. Captain LAPAGE, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 28th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hongkong, April 20, 1887. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Rilay, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 28th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, April 22, 1887.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND SOURABAYA, VIA SAIGON AND SINGAPORE.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Scholten, will be despatched as above on or about the 29th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, April 23, 1887.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAM BURG, VIA BUKZ CANAL. (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.)

The Steamship Hemeria. Capt. E. CHRISTIANSEN, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 16th May, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSBEN & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, April 22, 1887. Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship State of Maine,

Nickels, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March S, 1887. SAILOR'S HOME.

NY Cast of CLOTHING, Books, or A Papies will be thankfully received Groig. -Arubold, Karberg & Co. at the Sailor's Home, West Point. Hongkong, July 25, 18,8.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Notices of Firms.

NOTIOE.

URING my Absence from the Colony, my Business will be conducted by my Brother, Mr. James Spence Legge, who is authorised to sign my name per

procuration. WILLIAM LEGGE. Hongkong, April 16, 1887.

AR. HENRY CRAWFORD, MR. JOHN IV McCALLUM and MR. NINIAN ROBERT STANFORD ORAWFORD were idmitted Partners in our Firm in Hongkong on the 1st April, 1887. No Change has been made in the consti-

LANE, ORAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, April 6, 1887.

tution of our Firm in Shanghai or Yoko-

NOTIOE. THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of the late Mr. GEORG THEODOR SIEMSSEN in our Firm CEASED on the 24th November, 1886, and that of Mr. PAUL GERHARD HUBBE on the 31st December, 1886. Mr. JACOB RUFF has been authorized to Skan our Firm per Procuration from this

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong and China. 14th February, 1887.

NOTICE. TN consequence of Mr. ROBERT HOWIE

and Mr. RONALD GREIG leaving China, they will no longer Stun our Firm per Procuration. We have This Day authorized Mr. GEORGE DIXWELL FEARON and Mr. EDMUND THOMAS BOND to Sign our Firm per Procuration at Canton and MADAO.

Canton, 1st April, 1887.

DEACON & Co.

Notices to Consignees. THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Moyune, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkone AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, Kowloon, whence delivery may

be obtained. 763 No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the OFFICE of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 1st Proximo, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 1st Proximo will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon

> ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, April 23, 1887. BEN LINE OF STEAMERS.

> > NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND

Bills of Lading will be countersigned, by

To-DAY, the 23rd Instant.

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Benarty, Captain La BOUTHLIER, HAVING ARRIVED from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills OF LADING FOR COUNTERSIGNATURE by the Undersigned, and to TAKE IMMEDIATE DELIVERY of their Goods from alongside. CONSIGNEES of NAILROD IRON are particularly requested to take DELIVERY from Steamer IN THEIR OWN BOATS, failing which the Captain will not be responsible for any mixing of different lots that may arise from otherwise discharging same. The Steamer is berthed at the KOW-OON PIERS and any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into Godowns and

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 26th Instant will be subject to rent. All Claims must reach us before 4 p.m. of the 29th Instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, April 19, 1887. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. MONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of

Lading to the Undersigned for counter-

signature, and to take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex Labourdonnais and Melbourne.

A S (in diamond), 1/3-3 cases Chisch, Augers, &c., from London, consigned to Order.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, April 14, 1887.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Grew of the following Versels, during 896 their stay in Hongkong Harbour ;---EUDORA, British barque, Captain C. E.

Fulton - Chinese. O'Keefe.-F. Blackhead & Co.

FIFESHIEE, British barque, Capt. Robt. - Swan, American brig, Captain D. D.

stored at Consignees' risk and expense. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To DAY, the 19th Instant. No Claims will be admitted after the

Notices to Consignees. UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM ANTWERP, HAMBURG AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Cascapedia, Captain FRANKE, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 26th Instant, or they will not be re-RUSSELL & Co., fongkong, April 18, 1887. To Let. TO BE LET. (With Early Possession.) 'DISNEE VILLA'-PORFULUM. SHARP & Co., Estate Agents. Hongkong, April 9, 1887. TO LET. With Possession from 1st April. THE OFFICES on the 1sr FLOOR of No. 43. Queen's Road Central, at present in the occupation of the Undersigned. Apply to DENNYS & MOSSOP. 43, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, March 25, 1887. TO BE LET FURNISHED. NTO. 3, MORRISON HILL for 4 Months I from the lat June. Apply to ARTHUR K. TRAVERS, Post Office. Hongkong, April 4, 1887. TO BE LET. (FROM 1ST MAY NEXT.) COMFORTABLE HOUSE with Conveni- & Co. ent OUT OFFICES, pleasantly situated at RICHMOND TERRACE. Cool in RICHMOND TERRACE ESTATE AND BUILDING Co., LD., 36, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, April 5, 1887. TO LET. (With Early Possession.) HE DESIRABLE RESIDEN GREENMOUNT, Situated on the BONHAM ROAD. Hongkong, March 17, 1887 TO LET. TOOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS.' Nos. 2 and 16, HOLLYWOOD ROAD. Apply to ^Apply to

Agents.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, March 23, 1887. OFFICES-TO BE LET. No. 38, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL; Ba With COMPRADORE'S ROOMS, Bri and Entrance in STANLEY STREET.

GILMAN & Co.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, March 14, 1887.

To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE. THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing

between Mr. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS and Mr. JAMES LYON PLAY-FAIR SANDERSON, at Foochow, Canton, Macao and London, express on the 28th February, 1887, through effluxion of time. BIRLEY & Co.

TEFERRING to the above, the Business at Canton and Macao will in future be carried on as a distinct Firm, by Mr. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS under the Style of BIRLEY & Co. Canton, 23rd April, 1887.

CANADIAN PACIFIC LINE. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS

TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE, THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS. THE British Steamship ABYSSINIA, The Straits Insurance Co., Ld.........30,000 \$ 1 3,651 Tons Register, ALEX MARSHALL,

about SATURDAY, the 14th May, at Douglas Steamship Co., Limited 20,000 \$ To be followed by S.S. PARTHIA. 4th June, and S.S. BATAVIA, 25th June.

These steamers, formerly in the CUNARD Service, lately received New Engines and H'kong & Whampos Dock Co., Ld. 12,500 \$ Boilers, and can maintain a speed at sex of HK, and China thas Co., Limited. 1 0, 100 E from 15 to 14 knots

PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY. The attention of through passengers is Luzou Bugar Company, Inmited 7,000 3. drawn to the fact of the Canadian Pacific Parale Sugar Cultivation Co. 5,000 Tt. Bailway being the best built and most Perak Tu Mining & Sting Co. 5,000 5 splendidly equipped line ever constructed Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samatan \ 40.000 8 on the American Continent, and specially adapted for Summer travelling. Consular Involces for Goods to United

States points should be made out in quad- H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. 3,000 5 ruplicate, and addressed to Mr. D. E. H. & M. Glass Manufacturing Co., 4,000 5 BROWN District Preight Agent, Vancouver, B.C. and sent to us. All Parcels must be sent to our Office HK High-Level Tramways Co, Ld 1,250 \$ and should be marked to address in full

and the same will be received by us until Uninese Imperial 1881 8,565 [1]. 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. For information as to Passage or Freight. ADAMBON, BELL & Co.,

Chinese Imp. (Oh. Bank Loan) 1885 27904 500 31 * Equalization of Dividend Fund.

To-day's Advertisements. FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Yangisze. Capt. TH. W. STARLING, above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 27th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, April 25, 1887. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on ine YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship

Fooksang. Captain Hoge, will be despatched as above on HURSDAY, the 28th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, April 25, 1887. FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT.) The Stormship J.THEARLE, Commandor, will be despatched for the 550 above Ports on SATURDAY, the 30th

For Freight or Passage, apply to. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, April 25, 1887. NOTICE. MR. FREDERICK DODWELL is authorised to Sign the Name of our Firm in Hongkong from this date.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Hongkong, April 25, 1887.

> SHIPPING ARRIVALS. April 24, 1887 :--

Alwine Seyd, German steamer, from Whampoa. Peking, British steamer, 954, G. Houermann, Shanghai April 21, General.—Sieus-BEN & Co. Lennox, British steamer, 1,520, Thearle. Nagasaki April 19, Coal.-ADAMSON, BELL Kaisow, British steamer, 1,934, W. S.

Thomson, Saigon April 20, Rice. - ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Atholl, British steamer, 923, W. Coulter, Singapore April 17, Rice.—Bun Hin Chan. Chelydra, British steamer, 1.574, H. Peace, Kobe April 18, Coal and General.-

GIRE, LIVINGSTON & Co. Fushum, Chinese steamer, 1,504, A. Croad, Shanghai April 21, General.—C. M. Diamante, British steamer, 514, A. A. McCaslin, Manila April 21, General.—Rus-

BELL & CO. Tanais, French steamer, 1,149, A. Paul, Yokohama via Kobe April 17. Mails and General.—Messagenies Maritimes. Chefoo, Briti hsteamer, 634, S. J. Hughes, Swatow April 23, General -BUTTERFIELD

April 25 :-Amigo, Germansteamer, 771, C. A. Hundewadt, Singapore April 17, Goneral Marcia, British steamer, 1,060, A Intosh, Nagasaki April 20, Coal.-TAKA-

SIMA COLLIERY AGENCY. Phra Chom Klao, British steamer, 1,011, W. H. Watton, Bangkok April 18, Rice .-YUEN FAT HONG. Mentone, Norwegian barque, 769, Chr. Rafp, Newcastle, (N.S. W.), March 7, Coal.

Partridge, British steamer, 261, J. W. Stavers, Hoihow April 23, General, -ADAM-BON, BELL & Co. DEPARTURES

April 24 -Aspic, French gunboat, for Japan. Chefon, for Whampon. James Watt, for Haiphoug. Signal, for Holhow. Hailoing, for Amoy and Tamsui. Velox, for Chefoo. Charon Wattana, for Bangkok. April 25:-

Port Victor, for Saigon. Pekiny, for Whampon. Fushin, for Whampoa. Esmeralda, for Amoy and Manila. Ningpo, for Shanghai. Canton, for Shanghai. Mounne, for Shanghai. Visayas, for Amoy and Manila. Nemisis. French steam-yeht., for Amoy. Amigo, for Amoy. Taiyuan, for Sydney.

OLEANED: Alwine Seyd, for Tientsin. Strathairly, for Kutchinotzu. tholl, for Swatow and Amoy. Dafila, for Haiphong. State of M ine, for San Francisco. Annie Johnson, for San Francisco. Decima, for Bangkok.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Atholi, from Singapore, 175 Chinese. Per Fushun, fr on Shanghai, Mrs Crawford, and 21 Chinese.

Per Dinmante, from Manila, Messrs Dalan and Richardson, Revs. Cristino Setilla, Jose Ramos, Juan Vila, and 83 Per Chefoo, from Swatow, 12 Chinese. Per 'mi 10, from Singapore, 396 Chinese. Per Tunais, for Hongkong from Yokohama. Mr R. Yé oyé ; from Kobe. Mr W From Yokohama : for Marseilles, Mr L. Tehenne.

Por Phra Chom Klao, from Bangkok, 15 Per Partridge, from Hoihow, 28 Chinese. Per Hallowy, for Swatow, Mr Wong Chew, and Mrs Chan Sie. Per Taiquan, for Sydn y. Hon. M. H. Marsh, O M.G., and Mrs Marsh; for Melbourne. Mr Stainfield. Per Ningpo, for Shanghai, Mr H. G.

Per Port Victor, for Saigon, 12 Ohinese. Por James Watt, for Haiphong, 12 Chi Per Signal, for Hoihow, 60 Chinese. Per Canton, for Shanghai, 30 Chinese. To DEPART. Per Dafila, for Haiphong, 15 Chinese.

SHIPPIN - REPORTS The British steamer Kaisow reports: Had light S.E wind and fine weather to 19° north; thence to port N.E. gale, thick dirty weather. The British steamer Athell reports : Had Sovereigns,

fine S.W. monsoon to 18° north; thence strong N.E. monsoon and high soa. Shipping. The British steamer Chelydra reports: Noon. Thales leaves for Swatow, &c.

Had strong monsoon with rain. The Chinese steamer Fushun reports Experienced strong N.E. winds with rainy The British steamer Diamante reports Left Manile April 21st, had light winds and calms, to lat. 10° morth; thence to port Wiscellaneous. strong N. E. winds and dirty gloomy wes-

The British steamer Chefoo reports Had strong N.E. breeze and thick rain through-The British stonmer Phra Chula Chom Klao reports: Had moderate and light South-Easterly winds and fine weather to latitude 19° north; where a heavy gale from the north-easterly with tremendous sea and hard squalls, was met; which lasted till arrival at port thick weather making the . The British steamer Partridge reports

Had strong gale and high sea, with thick mist and rain to St. Johns; thence to port fresh north-easterly winds and over-POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-For SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO. Per Thales, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 26th inst., instead of as previously notified. FOR SHANGHAL. Per Fooksand at 3.80 p.m., on Thursday.

the 28th inst. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Gaelic will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 26th Instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :-

2.15 P.M. Registry coases. 2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .--French Contract Packet Yangtse will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 28th April, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, viá Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India (via Madras), the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, &c. Exchange. HONGKONG, April 25. On London-On domaid, 30 days sight, 4 months eight, Documentary, 4 months' sight, 3/28 On Paris-On demand, Credits, 4 months' sight, ... 4.03 On New York-

On demand, Credits, 60 days' sight, On Bombay-On demand. On Calcutta-On demand. ... On Shanghai— On demand, 71 Gold Leaf, 100 fine ...

... \$6.30

8 % prem.

7% prem.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vesse's.	Captain.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
STITE A PERT IN COLUMN TANKS TO STATE OF THE PERSON STATE OF THE P	Dantain (s)	Pfeiffer	Norddeutscher Lloyd	About April 29. May 13, at noon. May 16, at 11 a.m.
lavre, &c., via Suez Canal ondon, via Suez Canal Inraeilles, and Ports of Call	Hesperia (8) Ajax (8) Yangtas (8)	Riley Lormier	Messageries Maritimes	April 28. April 28, at noon. April 26, at 3 p.m.
an Francisco, via Yokohama	Gaelic (8) City of New York (8) State of Maine Yangtsze (8)	Nickols. Th. W. Starling	Pacific Mail S. S. Co	May 15, at 3 p.m. Quick despatch. April 27, at 4 p.m. April 28, at 4 p.m.
lan Francisco	Fooksang (8) Anchises (8)	Hogg Lapage Hanuah	Jardine, Matheson & Co Butterfield & Swire Butterfield & Swire Ah Yon & Co	April 28. April 28. April 28, at 4 p.m.
Singapore Swatow, Amoy and Taiwanfoo. Sydney and Melbourne	Dauteros (s)	Goddard Peace	Douglas Lapraik & Co Gibb, Livingston & Co Adamson, Bell & Co	April 26, at noon. April 26, at 6 p.m. April 30.
Yokohama	Lennox (8)			
				or 195

APRIL 25, 1887. SHARE LIST. JUUTATIONS. Closing Q'e tarions, Paid- POSITION PER LAST REPORT. Last Divideno Value. Keserve. Balancec. f warn Stocks. 25,313.43 at 30/ for 1 year 140 % prem., cash, sellers working a/c to Dec. 31 /86 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 00,000 5 100,000 Tis. 406,132.00 Tis. 20 p. sh. Pis. 285 per shar, nominal North-China Insurance Co., Ld. 3,059 76 31 for 1 yr. Fia. 114 all Yangtaze Insurance Company, Ld. ... 8,000 £ 314,012.96 861 penh. /85 880 buyers 614,000 Union Insurance Society Co., Ld.... 10,000 187,524,75 20 % P min um 767 600,0人多 China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld.... 24,000; 494.405.09 Li Z for 1885 -724 188.000 125,771.298% for 1880 3230 per share, ex div., b'yers 250 5 Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld.,... 10,000 2 28,711.5 328,567.46 \$ 7,1.0 for '853440 " ex div, sellers 1.000 5 200 8 Uhmese Insurance Co., Limited 1,500 6 1,00 ,000 \$ Hongkong Fire insurance Co., Ld. .. 8,000 \$ ex div. 243,733.44 \$ 6 for 1885 89 612,500 3 hina Riro Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000 5 Singapore Insurance Company, Ld. 40,000 \$ 1008 \$20, nominal 7,713.40 The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,0 08 10⊍8 \$30, nominal 75,832.52 200,000 \$ 1008 2 3 11,410.4 6 % half yes 96 % prem., buyers STEAMBOAT COMPANIES. COUVER, B.C., via YOKOHAMA, on or HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., L1 40,000 & 115 13 Dec. 31/86 Dar 4,387.5.9 7 % for 1885 20 % dia., buyers Indo-Ohina S. N. Company, Limited 18, 387 £ 40 discount Ohina and Manila S. S. Co., Ld. 3,500 \$

4,260.12 16 % for 1886 \$105 % prem , cash, sellers MISCELLANEOUS. 1,527.3.11 lo % and 2 % 3130 per share, buyers Now Shares..... 1,300 2 1,321.41 66 half year \$200 per shar , cash, buyers Connection will be made at Yokohema Hungkong Hotal Company, Lt.... 1 3,000 twith Steamers from Shanghai and Japan 3,000 ans. issued cash, sellers 13,751.53 12 for 1888 \$180 Ports, and at Vancouver with San Fran- Uhina Sugar Company, Limited 15,000 5 12 % for 1886 \$51 cisco by the regular Steamers of the Hongkong Lee Company, Limited ... 8,000 5 er div. 514,581 % for 1838 \$110 cash, sellers 6.000 8 Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld. ... 129,303.18 None None \$20 None sellers. 310 None Mining Co. J 280 % prem., cash, buyers, & HK & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co. 17,000 3 zellers-89 Sept 845 per share 60 2 discount First year \$132, buyera A. S. Watson & Co. Limited...... 6 months

1008

1884 0..... 8189 8. 600

March & Sept. * Depreciation and Insurance Fund.

June 80

Oak Uk

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

3 p.m. -Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co. Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San 8 p.m.—Chelydra leaves for Australian

Ulaims against the Cascapedia must sent in to Mesers Russell & Co., on or before this date. Goods por Benarty undelivered after this date subject to reut.

WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THAMILY & DISPENSING OHEMIS' WHOLESALE & RETAIL DRUGGISTS,

DAUGGISTS' SUNDRYMEN. PERFUMERS. mporters and Exporters MANILA CIGARS, WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS, MANUFACTURERS

ERATED WATERS. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,

THE SHANGHAI PHARMACY, 24, Nanking Road, Shanghai. BOTICA INGLESA, 14. Escolta, Manila. THE CANTON DISPENSARY, Cauton. THE DISPENSARY, Forchow. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,

Hongkong, March 9, 1887 The publication of this issue commenced

4 7.45 p.m.

The China Flan.

HONOKONG, MONDAY, APRIL 25, 1887. TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL."] (Via Southern Line.) THE BUDGET.

LONDON, 22nd April. The Budget shows a surplus of £2,700,000 A reduction of the income tax of one penny and the tobacco duty to fourpence is aunounced.

THE 'TASMANIA.' LONDON, 22nd April The Tasmania's passengers have arrived at Marseillles. The Captain, Officer Newman and twenty lascars, including a Quarter-Master, were drowned. The vessel is expected to become a total wreck.

THE IRISH LAND BILL. LONDON, 23rd April, 1887 In the House of Lords the Irish Land Bill was read a second time without a divi-

FRANCE AND CERMANY. A FRENCHMAN ARRESTED IN GERMANY. LONDON, 22nd April. The Germans have arrested M. Schnae-

bell, a French Commissary of Police, for The Bourse is agitated.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Struthleven, March 1; Orion Wyvern, D. Balduino, 8; Smil, 4; Kinyomaru, 22; Titania, Glenmorven, 25 ; Cantan, 29 ; Monmonthshire, Cambodia, April 1; Benledi, Afghan, 5, Elektra, Neckar, Oxfordshire, Stentor Glenshiel, 12; Anadyr, Benlavig, Telemachus, Hampshire, Iphigenia, 15; Homeward Bound :- Memling, March 25;

Olympia, April 1; Benalder, Cardiganshire, Nestor, 12 : Benvenue, Braunschhummia, 19. The S. S. Saghalien, with the FRENCH MAIL

of March 25th, is to leave Singapore on Saturday, the 23rd April, at noon and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 30th April. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Feb. 15th. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Chiceus, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 20th

instant, and may be expected here on or about the 26th instant. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Anchises, from London, left Singapore on the 20th inst, and may be expected here on or about the 26th instant. The S. S. Arratoon Apoar, from Calcutta,

27th inst. The Glen Line steamer Glenogle, from London, left Singapore on the 21st inst., and may be expected here on or

burg and ports of call, left Singapore on the 22nd instant, at 0 p, m., and may

26th April, and may be expected here on or about the 30th April. DURING the week ending the 24th April, 194 Europeans and 1,886 Chinese visited

the City Hall Museum. Ir is notified in Saturday's Guzette that His Excellency has given his assent to the Prevention of Crimes Ordinance 1887.

sesson at the City Hall next Friday even. Eastern Street, thence turning up the graph poles of hinese Times. ing. The Committee have decided to make corner of Restern Street as far as High this condert one by member's invitation, and lickets will be issued in a day or two. the latter with Bonham Road | and which | Government for building a new-hospital in and nokets will be issued in a day of two dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos, in he composed of separate dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos, in he composed of separate dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos, in he composed of separate line in the Oliver of costsess, each community of a ward in itself.

The programmer, we hear, includes some dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos, in he composed of separate in itself.

The programmer, we hear, includes some dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos. In he composed of separate in itself.

The programmer, we hear, includes some dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos. In he composed of separate in itself.

The programmer, we hear, includes some dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos. In he composed of separate in itself.

The programmer, we hear, includes some dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos. In he composed of separate in itself.

The programmer we hear, includes some dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos. In he composed of separate in itself.

The programmer we hear, includes some dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos. It he composed of separate in itself.

The programmer we hear, includes some dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos. The composed of separate in itself.

The programmer we hear, includes some dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos. The composed of separate in itself.

The programmer we hear, includes some dividing line is more specially set forth and Bangkos. The composed of separate in itself.

The programmer we hear, includes a composed of separate in itself.

The programmer we hear the composed of separate in itself.

The programmer we hear the programmer we have a composed of separate in itself.

The programmer we hear the programmer we have a composed of the c

douths were registed in the colony, 15 re- cocurred at the Westbourne Villas a spot sulting from chest affections, 12 from fevers now somewhat notorious for these annoyand 15 from infantile convulsive diseases. | ing experiences. Between 3 and 4, o'clock

THE Band of the Northamptonsbire Regiray Barracks, to morrow evening, the 26th instant, from 8 till 10 o'clock. The following will be the programmo:

... Wallaco. Fusionen Strauss Rose softly blooming Spohr Linds di Chamouni Donizetti, Ernani Verdi. JOHN MORAN Bandmaster.

THE Acting Registrar General's Return of Births and Deaths for the first quarter of 1887, ending 31st March, shows that 25 boys and 19 girls were born among the British and foreign community, and that the deaths of 34 males and 14 females among the same community were recorded. The total births among the Chineso numbered 379, and the deaths 903. The following table shows the mortality in the

Convents and the Tung Wa Hospital. talian Convent Asile de la Ste. Enfance Tong Wa Hospital

THE Chung-ngoi-sun pu, remarking on Go, thieving fraternity, several burglaries vernor Hennessy being teinstated by the Colonial Office, says it does not know whether he will retorn to Mauritius, but it has heard that the Government does not been taken by the Police for checking the

popular election.

THE German steamer Amigo, which arrived to-day from Singapore, brought to Hongkong four shipwrecked Chinese fishermon which she picked up in Lat. 20° 16' N. and Long. 114° 17', clinging to pieces of wreckage. The sea was running very high at the time and the rescue was not effected without considerable difficulty. The fixhermen report that about two or three hours before they were picked up their junk was struck by a heavy sea and swamped. They managed to catch hold of some spars and succeeded in keeping affort but the rest of the time a fixed Police post was stationcrew, twenty in number-11 men, 4 women and 5 children-were drowned. The re- Westbourne Villas, That, however, has scued men say they were very kindly treat, since been removed, and placed further ed by the Captain and crew of the Amigo east. As most of the thieves are believed On being handed over to the Water Police to come up from the low levels via Western to-day, they expressed a wish to be sent Street, the fixed post should be stationed to Macao, from which port, doubtless, the there. Anyhow, it is somewhat of a refishing boat haled.

YEOY WAS charged before Mr Wodehouse at the Police Court to-day with stealing a \$5 bank note, the property of Mr of a Police Station, and apparently well R. T. Wright, clerk in the Hongkong and patrolled during the day, this corner has Shanghai Bank. Mr Wright said that he been the most frequented for many months; left a \$5 note in a drawer about three weeks, and the inference draws from the persistent ago, and when he went to look for the note escape of the thieves is that there is someon Friday he found it was gone. About the thing wrong with the system of detection. 5th or 6th of April his own boy went I think the serious attention of the Governhome and left the prisoner as a substitute. | ment should be drawn to this curious condiwerg. Prometheus, 15; Laertes, Poly- On discovering that the note was missing | tion of affairs. his auspicions fell on this substitute, as bad always found his own boy trustworthy. Evidence was given by another Ch'un-fuh was heard with closed doors on servant in the house, who said Mr Wright's Monday at the Japanese Consulate in the boy before leaving had told him to look after things and mentioned the \$5 in the public. drawer, and this conversation the prisoner had overheard. He had noticed the note The American Ship Hagerstown was put up was missing and had seen it in the hands of the prisoner. A sentence of three months hard labour was passed on the accused.

THE new Ordinance to regulate the building | was withdrawn. of Chinese houses in the City of Victoria is may be expected here on or about the published in Saturday's Gazette. It con- A NATIVE paper says it is rumoured that tains only one provision in which the gob. the Ministers of the Tsung-li Yamen and he is interested, and that is a clause defining the 27th ult. in regard to the taxation of the limits of the town in which Chinese native opium. His Robert proposed to levy houses shall not be built. This question the same amount of duty on native as on The D. D. R. steamship Nicke, from Ham- had been egitated for many years past and that there should be a difference. It was was among those put forward by the Land decided to memorialize the Throne on the be expected here on or about the 29th Commission. We are glad to see that it has subject, and await the Emperor's decree. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tannadice been answered so readily. The line of deleft Port Darwin for this port on the marcation is laid down as follows:

Colony of any land in the City of Victoria, one of the grounds on which the directors it shall not be lawful to build Chinese tene. ments, or houses for the habitation of Chinese in any locality or on any site side of a dividing line beginning from a step in the direction of reform, and we wish noted to proposite the East corner of the Cite will success to the new enterprise. point opposite the East corner of the City Hall and drawn along Queen's Bodd Central Street, and following High Street and Pokfoolum Road as law as the junction, of

Duning the week ending the 10th April, 60 Anorean robbery is reported to have yesterday morning, Mr. Bachrach, the occupant of the house, and his next door. ment will play at the Officers' Mess, Mur. neighbour (Mr Danby) were aroused by the barking of the dogs. Upon examination, was found that the thieves had not succeeded in getting into Mr Bachrach's house, but that they had nevertheless carried off two marble topped tables from the lower verandah. This versudah is about ten feet from the level of the ground outside; and yet the thiovish rancals seem to have got off with their booty without the least interference. It appears to us almost incomprehensible that bulky articles such as those stolen in this instance could be removed, and then carried through the treets, without the knowledge of the Police. There must surely be a screw loose somewhere, as marole-top tables and meat-safes cannot well be stowed up even

the sleeve of a Chinaman's coat. Concerning the evil repute of this western district, and the apparent carelessness of the Police in that quarter, a correspondent thus writes :- I should like to inquire where the Policemen on this meat can possibly stow themselves, as there has been another robbery at Westbourne Villas, and the Police again evidently saw nothing. The locality referred to appears to be a favourite "hunting-ground" for the or attempted burglaries having been made there during the last few months, and yel no extra precautions seem to have wish to give him snother colonial appoint- burglars. In November last the house ocment; and Sir J. P. Hennessy himself, cupied by Mr Danby, next door to Mr having been all along a member of the Bechrach's house, was broken into and Upper House of Parliament, does not wish | several valuable articles stolen, the booty to take another appointment abroad, but being carried off without interruption, as would prefer on the expiration of his term on this occasion of yesterday. Attempts to return to the Upper House! For the were subsequently made to break into information of our contemporary, we may "Rada "and from this house a large meatstate that Sir John Honnessy was never a safe (with its contents) was taken away, and member of the Upper House of Parliament, again securely navigated through the never possessed the qualifications, and that streets, and safely passed through the cordon if he wants to get admittance even to the of the Police. Further attempts have since Lower House, he will have to do so by been made on Ball's Court (Mr Lobb's) and Sunnyside (Mr Gower's), all about the same hour in the morning, and yet in no single instance have any arrests been made by the Police. The Night Pass Ordinance must be a failure, or the Police are either off duty or asleep, if men can prowl about in the grey dawn in this manner without let or hindrance. Such things as were stolen from the Westbourns Villas and Reda were not such as could easily be hidden in a Chinaman's clothes. It is not many years ago since the burglars stole watches from under the pillows in Mr Danby's house; and shortly after that

ed at the junction of the roads below flection upon our efficient Police Force that all these robberies should take place in the district alluded to, without any arrests being effected. Although within a short distance

THE Hu Pao says that the case of murder by a Japanese of a Chinese named Hu presence of the Shanghai Magietrate Moh. The evidence given has not yet been made

at auction at Shanghai on the 18th instant by Messrs Wheelook & Co. There was a good attendance, but the bidding was not very spirited, the highest offer made reaching only Tacis 8,500. As the lowest valuation placed on the ship is Taels 12,000 she

Sir Robert Hart held a consultation, on that there should be a difference. It was

Among the Chinese translations of the Chiness Times will be found the prospectus of Notwithstanding any grant, right or the new railway company which takes the covenant which may be contained in any Liesse granted by the Government of this comprehensive name of the Chinese Railism is to be banished from the administration. We hail this measure as an important

thence slong Ice House Lane, Albert Road, News has been received from Yuonan that THE five men who are charged with pirating Wondbam Street, Hollywood Road, Egin there has been much popular opposition to Street, Staunton Street and Aberdeen the erection of the telegraph wire at Taa junk off Cape D'Aguilar and stealing 90 Street, Staunton Street and Aberdeen the contressor of the telegraph wire at the contressor of the the contressor of the street, Street, Staunton Street and Aberdeen the contressor of the the contressor of the street thence passing Involgence and Aberdeen ting four the south of that province. The street thence passing Involgence and Lots Numbers 94, 157, 423, 523, 523, and the foreigner in charge has also been and along the boundary between Inland the foreigner in charge has also been and along the boundary between Inland the foreigner in charge has also been threat the Choral Society Inland Lots Numbers 397 and 398, thouse and the magnificant are occupied in trying Inland Lots Numbers 397 and 398, thouse and the magnificant are occupied in trying Ladder Street; Busham Road to pacify the people, who allege that the will give their last performance of the Hospital Road as far as the corner of Fedg Shui is interfered with by the tale-

Hongkong, April 25, 1887.

vessel, as the forward part is all broken up Bank. small percenta e of the money he paid for the wrock at anction .- Hing . News.

THE Baron Sadvine, representative of the Cockerill Iron Works, was received in audience at the Tsungh Yamen, where he was introduced by the Belgian Minister. This is a distinct innovation, as a similar concession when applied for on behalf of the German Syndicate last year was refused. On the favoured nation clause all other syndicates and contract hunters may claim equal facilities for business with the Belgians, and Poking may thus become a regular place of trade. The world moves. The Baron has gone to Kaiping, en route to Tientsin. - Chinese Times.

THE Tea race from Hankow (says the a felony there. Shanghai Mercury) promises to be this year a most interesting event. In spite of the doubt that the prisoner was one of the reported shallowness of the water at Han- gang of robbers, who committed one of the kow and the boats of the newly-started most daring robberies he had known in the Vancouver line, it is an open secret that Colony. In the very centre of Queen's several crack steamers will be placed on the Rad they had broken into a shop and berth. As far as we can learn at present stolen about \$2000 worth of goods. The the Glen line of steamers will be repre- prisoner was a servant living on the sented by the Glenshiel, Glengyle and, the premises, and was probably one of the old crack Glenogle; the China Mutual Ship- chief men in the business. He had had To His Excellency pers' S.N. Co. by the Moyune and Kaison; the andacity to remain in the Colony while the Benlawers and Benvenue will do Battle | the others cleared out The sentence of for the Ben line of steamers, and the the Court was that he be kept in prison energotic Blue funnel line, although with hard labour for five years. If he had boasting of no new boats, will 'chip in 'as | had any idea that he was going to have a usual and bring up the tail and of the pro- short period and get out and enjoy the

THE Hiogo News says :- The Japanese steamer Fukusawa-maru, which arrived here few days ego and is still in port, has a somewhat remarkable history. While engaged in the cattle trade she was sunk in the Thames, where she lay for about two years: After being raised she hoisted the Russian flag, receiving the name of Grand Duke Constantine. Her change of flag did not change her ill luck, for the was continually in trouble, repairs being necessary at every port at which she touched, until she was finally seized for debt by the Shanghai Dock Company. She then ran successfully for some time on the coasts of China and Japan under the British flag, until she got on the rocks outside Hakodate and became a total wreck. She was purchased at auction by some Japanese, who succeeded in raising her, and she is now running on the coast again under the Japanese flag. It is to be hoped that her present owners will have more success with her than their pre-

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of the Hongkong Rifle Association was held in the Hongkong Hotel this afternoon. Col. Anderson was called to the chair, and there were also present Hon. P. Ryrie, Mr E. L. Woodin, Mr A. Woolley, Mr.G. L. Tomlin, Mr E. Osborne, Mr J. Grant, and Capt. E. Burnie.

The Chairman said the accounts were before the meeting. They showed a balance of \$58. Their outstanding debts were to the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company \$558.11 for targets, and \$70 to Messrs Danby and Leigh for making range. There was, however, some delay in completing these ranges, and he thought they might

acore that item off.

Mr Woodin said Mesers Danby and Leigh had had rather more work than there breach. With regard to the second prisoner expected with the ranges, having had to cut he would take into consideration that he

Col. Anderson said they were certainly kept out of their range longer than they ought to have been. He proposed however that the accounts be passed.

Mr Woodin seconded and the motion was Mr Woolley said he had received a letter | 25 strokes of the rattan on the breach. from Mr Dauby, asking to be withdrawn from the Acting Committee. He thought

he was merely put on to keep the place for sending me to prison. Mr Leigh, who has not yet turned up. On the motion of Mr Woolley, seconded by Mr Tomlin, the following gentlemen were elected, in place of those absent, for the Committee-Major E. lis, Lieut. Prichard,

Commodoro Maxwell, Mr H J. Holmes, Mr J. Grant, Captain Burnio, Mr J. D. Humphreys, Col. Ryan, R.A., and Col. Lieut Pritchard was added to the Work-

Mr Woolley said he believed had paid off the \$70 and that expected to pay off \$300 debt to the Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company this year and the balance next

The Chairman said it was but right their successors should have some of the burden on their shoulders Mr Ryrie-The Dock Company can wait

The Chairman, in reply to Mr Tomlin, said the competitors at the Prize Meeting could go and shoot at any time of the day

The Chairman proposed a vote of thanks to Mr Osborne for the very efficient manner he had performed the duties of Secretary during Mr Woolley's absence, At the commencement they had the greatest difficulty to get things to work smoothly and harmoniously and if it had not been for the indefatigable manner he devoted himself to the work the Association would not have been in the position it was now in

He had certainly done the work efficiently and conscientiously. Mr Caborne thanked the meeting for the

to the Chairman SUPREME COURT.

IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before His Honour Mr Justice Russell, Acting Chief Justice)

Monday, April 25. Sentences were passed to-day on the prisonors convicted at the Sessions on Wed-

LARCENT BY AN OLD OFFENDER Chan Ayan, who was convicted of steal-

the first sentenced. been twice summarily convicted before, and there was a second indictment against him. The Address is very tastefully printed in W. Ramsay on which he had no doubt a conviction gold on parchment, and bound in blue R. Talbet would have been obtained had it been plush covers. In the centre of the cover is D. Simons pressed against him. As the prisoner was the Governor's monogram executed in S. D. Moonshee an old offender the sentence of the Court silver, and the appearance of the covers is U. Maclehose was five years' hard labour. Hard labour further enhanced by silver scrolls at the D Reid distinction baying been abolished by Ordin-

ance 10 of this year.

nothing to be seen but the after part of the house boy in the Chartered Mercantile you because you are leaving us for good. E. L. Renter His Lordship said it was very likely that see you back again. This address, which R. Lundt chaser has avidoutly made a poor bargain, the first prisoner, against whom there were is, I may say, the most numerously signed C. Klingemann and will be lucky if he gets back leven a two previous convictions anggested to the address that I have presented—and I have J. Jurgensen second prisoner to go to this house and see Presented a good many in my time-con- F. Seip what they could get. The sentence of tains nearly 600 signatures of gentlemen of

three years' hard labour. As to the second prisoner it was a gross broach of hospitality his watch. Such a crime ought to be the first time that he had appeared in any of the Courts he would give him a lighter punishment. He would be kept in prison for 18 months.

THE ROBBERY OF MR KUHN'S SHOP. The next case was that of Chi Fun, who was convicted of breaking into and entering the shop of Mr Kuhn and committing

RESET OF A STOLEN CADLE. Sentence was then passed on Fan

an Indian Constable would make the sentences concurrent.

(Before His Honour Mr A. J. Leach, Acting Puisne Judge.)

A GODOWN BORBERY. Chun Aluk, who was charged with breaking into a godown, but was found guilty of receiving stolen goods, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment with hard labour. His Lordship said he found the prisoner was an old offender who began his career of crime in 1869 and had been twice before the Court since.

ROBBERY WITH VIOLENCE. Mok Akum and Mok Alui, who were convicted of robbing a man of \$11 on the Bonham Road, were next sentenced. His Lordship said the prisoners had been found guilty of robbery with violence in broad daylight in Bonham Road. The first prisoner brutally knocked an old man to the ground and robbed him of \$41. Robbery with violence in the Colony was too prevalent and the punishment for it must be exemplary. The first prisoner, who had begun his career of crime in 1885, would be imprisoned for 5 years with hard labour and during the first six months of his imprison-

recoiving 25 strokes of the ration on the long and happy lives. We congratulate Wong Yat sun had assisted the police in finding the first prisoner and had also given imformation as to a third person and that this was the first time he had come before the Court He would be imprisoned for 3 years with hard labour and within the first six months he would be once whipped privately with The second prisoner as he left the dock said 'You had better hang me instead of

THE ROBBERY AT SHAM SHUI PO. Chan Atai and Wing Aming were then sentenced. The former was convicted of J. Bell Irving robbing a boat at Sham-Shui Po and the latter with receiving the stolen property. His Lordship said the first prisoner had

been found guilty of robbery with violence under aggravated circumstances. He had taken into consideration the fact | C. H. Grage that no actual injury was done to any of J. Y. V. Vernon the persons. He in company with others | C. A. Tomes boarded a boat at midnight, took the boat Jan. B. Coughtrie out to sea, battened the reople down in the S. Hancock hold and left them at the mercy of any W. H. Young storm or tempest that might have arisen. W. Durran took away their oars and cut their ropes. The sentence of the Court was that he be imprisoned for seven years with hard labour, and within the first six months be once privately whipped with 25 strokes of the rattan on the breach. With rigard to the second prisoner, the jury had taken a more W. H. F. Darby lement view of his case. They had found him guilty of receiving stolen goods, but the evidence went clearly to show that he was implicated in the robbery. He would be imprisoned for five years with hard

PRESENTATION OF AN ADDRESS TO MR MARSH This forencon the ceremony of presenting Mr Marsh with an address, previous to hisdeparture for New Zealand, took place at F. R. Daniel Mr Woodin seconded and the motion was Government House. The ceremony took | C. Hirst place in the Drawing-Room, which was F. B. O. Wilson almost completely filled with gentlemen. J. B. Ost. On the motion of Mr Woodin, seconded Mrs Marsh was present during the E. Barros by Mr Woolley, a vote of thanks was passed proceedings; and among those present D. Jamasiee were :- H.E. Major-General Cameron, L. K. Davis The Acting Chief Justice (Hon. J. R. C. Hurley Russell), the Acting Colonial Secretary G. L. Tomlin (Hon. F. Stewart), the Acting Attorney W. G Humphreys General (Hop. E. J. Ackroyd), the Co- H. Rustamies ionial Treasurer (Hou. A. Lister), Hon. P. N. P. Dhalla Ryrie, Hon. A. P. MacEwen, Hon. J. A. Findlay Smith Bell Irving, Hon. C. P. Chater, Bishop H. Wicking Burdon, Mr. A. J. Leach (Acting Puisne J. K. Rebbeck Judge), Colonel Withers (U. S. Consul), W. E. Clarke Mr. A. G. Romano (Portuguese Consul), J. Gow M Bigorean (Acting French Consul), Mr J. Hastings Teiski Minum (Japanese Consul), Colonel W. Powell Anderson, Dr. P. B. C. Ayres, Dr Harti- J. M. Armstrong gan many other officials, all the laiding W. H. Percival merchants and a sprinkling of the military C. Cowasjee ing aundry articles from a shopman, was element. Lieut. Metcalfe, the Governor's L. B. Connor His Lordship said the value of the go ds Unofficial Member of Council (Hun. P. W. Datmers stolen was not great, but the prisoner had Ryrie) made the presentation, and his re- J. S. Brower marks were repeatedly appleaded. T. G. Prosch

was now the same as penal servitude, the corners.

Mr A. K. Travers acted as Honorary D. Music

distinction having been abolished by Ordin- Mr A. K. Travers acted as Honorary D. Music

Secretary throughout.

In making the presentation the Hon. J. Orange LARGERY AT THE CHARTERED MERO, NITHE P. Ryrie said-I have been deputed to S. Baril present you with an address from the in. R. Hereland Sentence was next passed on Chung Awa | habitants of this Colony. I performed that C. Rocks

THE Kamichatka went to picces on the and Young Ashan, who were convicted of duty on a previous occasion, but on this oc. H. Garrels night of the 11th instant, and there is now stealing a watch and some clothes from a casion the feeling is much deeper towards J. G. Schröter the Court on the first prisoner was all nationalities, who have come forward H. Skoett spontaneously to sign it. Nothing has C. W. Bose been done to obtain names. (Applause.) I Max. Paquin to go into his friend's house and take consider that the feeling they have mani- E. Friedrichs advantage of his trust to rob him of fested towards you is one hat you have merited from the Colony, (Applause.) R. N. Ohly severely punished. As this, however, was During the time you have administered the O. Wegener, Government everything has gone on most P. G. Krible harmoniously. There has been no rabbing A. Becker against the grain. We have experienced a C. D. Bottomley time of peace and quiet; and socially we E H. M. Huntinghave received every genial form of hospitality which is expected of the head of the J. Walter Government. (Applance) I only now A. Veitchwish to present this address and to say one D. H. Mackintosh word about Mrs Marsh, (Applause). J. H. MacLaren Mrs Marsh has endeared herself to this G. Stewart community in a manner that I have never A. W. Maitland seen equalled (Applause.) I think Mrs H. M. Thomsett His Lordship said there could be no Marsh herself will be rather sorry to go H. Green gway. (Applause.) That cerdiality which R. T. Wright always distinguished her has been echoed J. D. Paulox

> sure of her entertainments. (Applause.) B Layton WILLIAM HENRY MARSH, C.M.G.

Administrator and Commander in- A. Wright Chief of the Colony of Hongkong, F. H. Sawyer and Vice-Admiral of the same. We the undersigned Inhabitants of the Colony desire, on the eve of your deparproceeds of his theft, he had made a mis- ture to convey to you the expression of our sincere regard and esteem, and to assure W. Poate you of our regret at your retirement from the Public Service.

from the minds of those who have had the G. McNair

honour of her acquaintance and the plea- H. McCallum

A. B. Johnson

E. Mackintosh

H. G. Dowler

C Jones

E. Maokean.

It is now nine years since you arrived W. P. H. Giles Acheong, convicted of the reset of 100 the here to take up the important Offices of H. M. Skene weight of telegraph cable and of assaulting Colonial Secretary and Auditor General, J. D. Saunders and we are happy to be able to festify that J. E. Nichol His Lordship said the prisoner had been the manner in which you have devoted your- C. H. Thompson convicted on many occasions. He com, telf to the discharge of these duties has F Grimble menced his career of crime in 1866. The proved the interest you take in the Colony; D. Jones assault he had committed on the constable has secured the confidence of the public, C. W. Dickson was just such as used to be committed 20 and deserves due recognition from us all. A. A. de Costa years ago. The highest punishment he Doring your residence here you have G. H. Bateson could give him for reset was 3 years and for been twice called on to administer the Gov. Wright assault on the constable, 2 years, but he eroment. At the end of your first term as A. Falconer. Administrator we were able to congratulate T. K. Dealy you on the admirable and effective manner J. W. Jones

in which you had discharged the duties of R. M. Jameson that Office, and to assure you of the respect Chin Chi Taung and confidence with which you had inspired Luk King Fo us. At the termination of this, the second Chi Taun Ching period, we can do little more than heartily Lo Kit acknowledge that the same ability, the same Cheung Tsoi vigour, the same industry, have marked Lo Tsz Lam your present Administration, and assure G. Bavne you that you have carned a still further | Sing Qua measure of our confidence, respect and Leong Wing Kee

Government House has always been, Cheng Aloy during the residence of yourself and Mrs | Cheng Ka Tsun Marsh, a centre of genial hospitality which A. M. da Silva has been greatly appreciated, and which Z. M. Barradas has fostered and promoted good feeling S. Moosa amongst all classes of the Community. We had desired to ask your acceptance F. M. Franco of some substantial mark of the sense we J. W. Rodrigues entertain of your worth, but as the rules of E. H. d'Aquino the service prohibit your receiving any such | R. Gutierrez present, we trust you will, in lieu of any F. F. Remedios more valuable gift, accept an Album con- Wong Shing taining views of the Colony in which you Ho Kai and Mrs. Marsh have spent many years, Wei Avuk have made numerous friends, and in which | Wei Wah Leen you will both be kindly remembered during Chow Penz

We sincerely wish you and Mrs. Marsh | Woo Lin Yuen a pleasant journey to your destination and Glieen Lu kee you on the completion of a long and honourable career in the Public Service, and we trust that Her Gracious Majesty may Kow Cheng Keat see fit to confer on you some adequate mark | Fung Shui

H. T. Huyllar

C. Osmund

G. S. Northcote

of Her Royal favour.' Hongkong, 25th April, 1887.

W. G. Cameron

E. J. Ackroyd

Bruce Shepherd C. C. Malsch G. J. W. King A. J. Leach F. H. May H. M. Thomsell J. M. P. Silva G. Bowdler J. Cramp J. Davis J. E. Howroyd J. Ross Auton E Rose Chan a Fook J. H. Stewart Lock A. G. Wibs C. F. A. Sangster A. K. Travers Mortamer Murray F. A. J. Gage H. U. Jeffries G. C. C. Master J. D. Ball J. A. Sampson N. G. Mitchell Inne W. M. B. Arthur No Kwai Shang C. Kai Ming Chan Shan J. M. Butler A. MacClymont E. McLeod C. D. Harman W. Goulbourn Li King Pau V. H. Deacon D. R. Crawford F. Dodwell A. J. de Rozario W. Danby A. E. Vaucher A. S. Garfit A. S. Hooper E. L. Woodin W. Boffey Geo. Murray Bain H. W. Davis J. McCallum Teiski Minami J. H. Lochhead J. S. Burdon H. J. Holmes C. Seimund L. P. Marques T. B. Cunningham T. Sercombe Smith G. Burgighnoli C. R. Bowles R. Lyall R. O. Wilcox W. Young E. Herbst T. C. Dempiter P. Manson T. G. Pocock G. H. Stevens A. D. Death E. A. Carvalbo O. P. de Carvaihe E. N. de Souza F. V. Ribeiro M. G. Parlane H. E. Denson L. Hauschild O Ford

W. H. Brereton

H Hoppius

L. Flemning.

O. A. Miller

W. Lohmann

H. T. Siemsson

C. Broderien.

M. Grote of

G. Sievels

G. ton Wille

A. W. Schellhate.

J. W. Brevitt

Chan Wei Oheang Chine Chemy On P. A Barradas J. V. Braga In Pinz Kwan A. R. Madar Oheung Wan Tsai F. T. P. Foster Gent T. Hopkins G. C. Brodie T. Jameetjee W. F. Mointosh J. S. Legge Metwanjee Peston W. Cruickshank W. Davis Sit Him Kuk

B. Byramjee J. W. Croker H. Poste G. A. Wieler J. Willmott Fang Sin Nan A. H. Mancell J. Sun Shing M. Falconer A. Gillanders: M. B. Polishwalls A. H. Jackson J. G. Liddell S W. Goggin J. G. Smith M. C. Sethna R. A. Gubbay G. H. Swales IMM. Mehta K. B. Mehta **F**3Henderson G. B. Lefavour

J.D. Homphrey J. C. Jox H. A. Woolnough J.S. Hagen JAJ. Francis Q Ewens W. H. R. Mossop Pa Jordan H N Thompson H. P. Wadman H. C. Maclean T. Pollard L. Mendel D. J. Combs M. S. Yarr T. P Brewin D. McCulloch G. P. Jordan D. G. Anderson G. A. Bramwell A. A. Jukes. R. M. Gray

G. F. H. Potta F. H. Slaghek C. S. Goodwyn J. W. Fisher A. Turner W. K. Hughes A. Fleet W. Hartigan M. D. Graham P. B. C. Ayres J. A. Van Buren C. Stiebel C. Palmer E. H. Melbye A. Woolley R. P. Dipple A. Seth J. Macgregor J. Barton

i C. M. Barradas K. McK. Ross Fung Tsung J. Keiser G. Roberts A. Mackie D. Wood E. Jones Hughes Wong See Tye T. Davidson R. H. Rawlinson D. M. Laine F. Urquhart A. A. da Cruz

W. B. Shuttlewood Fang Cheong Yung Leung H. A. Shirazee Wong Tai Fong F. Ullmann Ho Tim G Tayler Choa Chee Boo M. Bernheim Chen Quan I Wong Lai Shing J. C. Harmon G. T. H. Saylo Cheong Kai E. K. Hope. A. F. de J. Scares R. Donaldson F. P. Soares T. B. Powell J. A. dos Remedios J. J. D. Barros A. F. Alves C. M. Robarts J. M. P. Remedios. G. A. J. Yvanovich J. P. Smith T. Humphreys L. d'A. Roza N. P. Dhalla J. M. Machado E. Cawasjee J. F. da Roza H, N. Mody J. G. da Rocha W. M. da Roza S. M. Metta H. R. Katersall J. M. Gutierrez P. M. de Alonco A. G. Botelho. D. Muncherjee L. Noronha A. M. R. Pereira R. B. Munshe

N. E. Pimegar A. dos Remedios K. B. Mehta F. Machado D. Nowrojes J. F. Tavares. A. G. Romano J. Pestonjee M. P. Tolates J. S. Leiris R. C. Vania J. L. Hart Milner J. O. Khan J. M. T. Alves S. D. Chapgur J. de S. Alvez D. B. Tatu P. S. Rosario 8. P. Bhabha H. M. Basbo D. Nowroji J. V. Kemedios J. Jamasji S. R. Gomes A. V. Gomes J. B. Patel D. R. Kotwal A. M. P. Remedios R. D. Tata E. S. Jorge M. O. Sethna F. A. Carvalho A. V. F. Tumboly P. F. Tolatee H. M. S. H. Esmail R. Devjee P. E. Khambatte

L. G. d'A. Castro S. A. Noronha A. C. Botelho F. M. J. Botelho E. Neidhardt C. B. Teta J. Powell D. Hosunjee Ho Tung W. Woordin H. J. Rodrigues J. Khetsey Li Hong Mi H. M. Mehta A. Priestland P. B. Cama J. S. Roach R. M. Mehta W. Parfitt M. Eurahim A. H. Chinoy T. I. Rose A. Dewiee R. Shewan J. Rigoreau P. Forbes. L. Downes H. D. Butchison W.R. Loxley J. O. Peter A. Poemecker E. J. Etel F. Friere H. I. Dennys J. D. Guedes G. de Champeaux

R. Cooke H. Crawford J. Chalmers A. G. Goldsmith-G Sharp H. Smith H. G. do Rozario C. Heermann G. Rensch R. E. Withers J. D. Hutobison G. C. Hayward J. Whittalk J. Morden

E. Dencon

S. E. Shellim

W Ellis

W. F. Fawcatt

1. Remedica

C. J. Lopes

H. Sanwa

P. C. de Sonza

S. A. Hahman

J. M. d' Azevedo

Lo Tat

Tsang Kam Chin Lum Ching Aisul Bumjahn G. T. Rivers J. A. Moreley D. Warres Smith E. George M. B. Silis O. F. Somerville J. S. Muses A. V. Ribeira W. E. Peel A Kaberdeene E Burnle H.J. Cooper C. J. Bateman S. S. Benjamin G. Horshool T. H. Daby

with great regret I find in self about to amination. leavethe Colony, but I am compelled to do so In order to add to the greater efficiency forms with distorted faces bent over the by the state of my health. On behalf of of the school, a Chinese English-speaking small fiames at which the pipes are lighted, Mrs Marsh and myself I beg to thank you assistant has been engaged to explain the are enough to give the novice, native or especially for the kind words you have English lessons in Chinese to the smaller foreign, unaccustomed to such sights, a said about us. On a former occasion boys. This will entail an additional ex- sickening sensation. But this passes away you were good enough to present an address pense of 825 a month. to me when I hunded over the administrator. In the Statement of Accounts it will be senses grow used to the surroundings, and ship, and on this occasion I am handing even that there is a large Balanca due to then the visitor is able to take in and over the administratorship and to leave the the Treasurer. This is in consequence of study the scene at leasure. The interior Unlong for good. At my time of life it is the omission on one occasion some years is a strange one, and will not soon be more painful to leave a place than when ago to send round the Subscription list, forgotten. It is such a scene as a Hogarth younger; one does not make new friend- since which time the Report has been issued would delight to depict. You can see at ships so readily as in one's younger years. Just after collecting the Subscription instead a glince that the place has been got up on I feel I am leaving belind me in this of before it. It is thought better to revert an exponeive scale. In the centre of the

fortunate enough to meet again. I will now were accounted for in the Report then to have alone cost many hundred dollars. I feel highly flattered by the address. The Institution could easily be made self- the painted walls are thickly inlaid with the which you have been good enough to pre- supporting if all needy cases were refused, peculiarly marked marble which gives the sent to me on the occasion of my reti ing But orphane are always admitted, if pos- idea of unfinished landscape sketches, Numfrom the Public Service. It is most grati-sible, whether their friends can pay or not. erous doors on all sides lead into the apartfying, at the close of a long career of 39 At present there are 5 boarders and 2 day ments devoted to the smokers. In the years, to receive the assurance that I have scholars for whom no fees are paid; and outer portion of the building stands a counter. been fortunate enough to ascure the 12 boarders, and 7 day scholars, who pay covered with little boxes of the drug, ready esteem and confidence of the community reduced fees. It is for these necessitous for smoking, which a dozen assistants are amongst whom I have passed the last cases that subscriptions are required. kept busy handing out to the servants who eight years. This address is also a pleas- At the same time the Committee are wait upon the habitue of theplace. An extening indication of the kindly feeling en- auxious to lessen the sum for which it is sive retail trade goes on as well. And here tertained towards Mrs. Marsh and my actually necessary to appeal to the Public. You will be astonished at the number of the self by the residents in the colony. If As the cost of maintenance is very large customers, men, women, and children, who my Administration of the Government and it is found impossible to reduce it, and come to purchase opium for consumption during the last sixteen months has merited as many of the Class from whom the pupils elsewhere than on the premises. Behind this public recognition on your part, the are taken can afford to pay higher fees, the this counter also are kept the pipes, which credit must be shared in a great measure Committee have determined to raise the are carefully watched and counted, and with the members of the Executive Council scale of fees for the future. and the Heads of Departments, from whom . The Committee appeal confidently to the the men engaged in selling the opium, does

sary to the efficient despatch of Public past and at the same time to supplement true, as it is one of the rules which the business. I prize very highly your well- the income arising from the fees for the proprietor strictly enforces amongst, his chosen gift of an album, containing views year before us. of Hongkong. It will be a pleasant souvenir, though no souvenir was required, to retain in our memories the kindness and hospitulity that Mrs. Marsh and I have always received in this Colony. It now only remains for me to thank you all most sincerely for assembling here, and thus, by your presence, emphasizing the kind expressions and good wishes contained in this address of Farewell. We cannot quit the place which has been our home for eight years without feelings of regret. We shall always desire, wherever we may be, to receive tidings of the continued prosperity

and of the welfare of the inhabitants of

Hongkong. (Applause.)

Hon. Mr Ryrie then explained that the Album was not quite ready yet, but would be sent on as soon as it was ready. HIS EXCELLENCY'S DEPARTURE. A large crowd of ladies and gentlemen assembled on Murray Pier at half-past three o'clock to bid His Excellency farewell. Among those present were! -H. E. General Cameron, the members of the Legislative Council, Colonel Anderson and most disha officers of the Staff and Regiment and most of the leading citizens of the Colony. A company of soldiers was drawn up in line with the pier having the standard-bearer and colours in front, while the approach to the wharf was guarded by a Company of Police, under the command of Caprain Deane. His Excellency arrived shortly after the half hour, accompanied by Mrs Marsh, who carried in her hand the Address that had been presented at Government House to day and a bougnet of flowers. The band of the Regiment then struck up Auld Lang Syne, and Mr. Marsh and his lady shock hands with all the friends who had assembled to bid them good bye. On His Excellency embarking on the launch Victoria, three hearty cheers were raised

from the Artillery Battery. SWEARING IN OF GENERAL

by those on shore, and a salute was fired

CAMERON. A special moeting of the Executive Council was held this afternoon for the purpuse of swearing in His Excellency Major. General Cameron (Commander-in-Chief of H. M's. Land Forces on this station) as Officer Administering the Government, in succession to Mr Marsh. Those present were :- H. E. Major-General Cameron, His majority of our residers are notamiliar with Honour Mr Justice, Russell Acting Chief its very name, although most of them have Justice; Hon. F. Stewart, Acting Colonial massed the place many times in their lives. Secretary ; Hon. E. J. Ackroyd, Acting the Chinese scholar, or the energetic griffin, Attorney General; Hon. A. Lister, Colonial Could perhaps answer the question as to Treasurer; Hon. J. M. Price, Surveyor its locality at once, but it would be sale t General. There were also present the assert that seven out of ten, or may be following members of the Legislative Coun- larger percentage of the foreign residents o cil :- Hon. H. G. Thomsett, Harbour Shanghai, are totally ignorant of the nature Muster; Hon. P. Ryrie, Hon. A.P. Mac- and whereabouts of the resort, which is Ewen, Hon. Wong Shing, Hon. J. Bell known by repute amongst natives from Irving, Hon. C. P. Chater; Mr A. Seth, Taku to Tongking. The place is one which Clerk of Conneils. - Lieut. Somerville, belps to make the Celestial regard Shanghai H.E.'s aide de camp, was also present. Commission of 7th March 1884 authorising Paris is esteemed by the Frenchman. The the appointment of the Commander-in. Nan-gin-tein is said to be the largest and Chief of the Military Forces in the event of the Governor and Colonial Secretary situated in the French town, and almost being away, the caths of allegiance and office were administered to General Cameron

(who was dressed in a twocd suit) by Dis & dressed in his official robes). This cerewas dissolved. The road from Hesdquarter House to Government offices was lined by a body of European and Chinese Police, under the

command of Chief Inspector Herspool.

DIOCESAN HOME & ORPHANAGE REPORT FOR 1886-87. Committee: -Right Revd. Bishop Burdon (Chairman and Visitor of the School. Hon, J. Bell-Irving, Hon. A. P. McEwen, Consulat intersects. Then jurn to the attended by a mild, but pleasurable deli-Hon. C. P. Chater, John Walter, Esq., right and proceed for about three hundred rium, with brief glances of Elyaium, follows Revd. W. Jennings. Hon. Chief Justice yards. This will bring you almost opposite the smoking of olpum. This however is Phillippo, Hon. E. J. Ackroyd, D. R. an entry over which stands the number 34 the exception and not rule. The pipe is Orawford, Esq., A. B. Johnson, Esq., This part of the thoroughfere despite its penerally resorted to, to satisfy the craving and Revd. J. B. Oat.

Gallie name is entirely Chinese. A few begotten of previous indulgence. The mahundred vards further however stands the jority of the amoltons have a small pot of
Hon Treasurer.—Hon J. Bell-Irving. hundred vards further however stands the jority of the amoltons have a small pot of
Acting Hon Secretary.—Revd. J. B. Oat. French Municipal buildings, which by the tea beside them, from which they sip after and Revd. J. B. Oat.

Mien-Chai-Teacher of Chinese, with the nature of the place inside, stood beres, but the majority of the customers The Committee of the Diocesan Home in this parage for five minutes its character are only able to afford, or are content with and Orphanage automis their Righteenth would be probably suggested by the appear only one. There is accommodation for Annual Report and Statement of Accounts. ance and faces of the people who pass to nearly 150 smokers at a time, and there is The Year 1885 was marked by an unusual and out in such numbers.

Amount of sickness in the Colony and the Lat us go in and see for ourselves what of smokers goes on from early morning tiff Diocesan Home did not escaps. Only one it is that attracts such througs of Chinese midnight, when the place closes. The choice person in the entire Establishment was / They seem to represent all stations of life, of smoke go up incessinily all day. You laid down with the lever that prostrated from the justicana coolie to the merchant sak Do Europeana even visit the place?
the other inmates, but happily we have not from Honar Boad, or the small mandarin. They do, but not very often. A foreign very need y 600 aignatures of nearly all

His Excellency, who was visibly affected, dance and were examined by H. M. s In. comes after the opinic stucker's craving said-Mr Ryrie and goutlemen, I find it spector. 32 passed; 2 failed, but they has been satisfied and his evanescent plearather difficult to express my feelings and failed in only one subject each. In special sure has passed away. The best time to to thank you sufficiently for the kind words subjects 8 boys were examined in Euclid, see the place is in the evening when the with which you have introduced the read- 4 in Algebra, 4 in Physical Geography, and Limbs are lit. One requires a good strong ing of this address. I have lived now a all passed. Several boys who have passed stomach to stand the sickeding fumes with long time amongst you and have experienced all the Grant-in-Ald Examinations are be- which the air is thickened. The clouds of the greatest kindness at your hands. It is ing prepared for the Cambridge Local Ex- smoke, the dim light from the namerous

I have at all times received that loyal friends of the School for the help now he not ever take a whist himself, he will tell

assistance and co-operation so neces- organity needed to wipe off the debt of the you that he does not. This is probably, J. B. O.T. Acting Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 31st March, 1887.

THE SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE CHI-NESE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. The list of subscriptions to the proposed Chamber of Commerce now stands as fol-

lows. The Chinese are sanguine they will be able to ruise over \$100,000 :-As per last statement Es On Hong. Yupe Fat Hong Tsin Tsan Co. Pan Wo Hong Teat Shang Tong Pan Hin Hong Sui Loung Chan Pan Sing Hong Pan Mow Hong Yu Yeen chung How Fun Hong Wong Wo Kee Hong Wo Sing Chiu Chow Hop Kee Sing Tai Man Tai Lung Toi Fung Sung Kee Tai Lung Chun Foo Chun Chun Choung Hong Kwan Hing Hung Chaun Cheong Wing Cheung Yin Low Ng Man Kwan Tang Yune Cheong Cheone Wai Hine Chun Yuk Tong Lai Sin Tong Tsung Hon Saug. Wong Yik Pum

Ng Yung Ng Wong Tak Chee Mok Nim Po Lee King Teun Choi Shun Hang Wong Shu Tong. Wong Yu Chun-Other subscriptions of less

than \$100,

Total, \$27,380

THE BIGGEST OPIUM SHOP IN

南誠信 Nan ain tain? Probably the as a city affording somewhat the same op-The Clerk of Councils having read the portunities for pleasure, and dissipation, as most palatial opium sliop in China. It is

leb opium dens are not suppos-

But this latter supposition is a Honour the Acting Chief Justice (who was out which the city officials, who are charged with the repression of such resorts mony having been concluded, the meeting in their district, neither credit themselves, nor think anybody else believes. But to resume. This famous opium resort is well worth a visit from the lover of the curious, and the seeker of sights, if he is anxious to sco the votaries of the much abused drug. indulging the appetite which their rulers vainly and long tried to repress. To reach it, you cross the Szechuen Road bridge over the Yang-king pang, and go up the Rue de Montaubau, keeping on the side of the Poster Franceises till the Hotel des Colonies is reached, where the Rue du Masters—George Piercy—Head Master, way, are growing more dispidated looking they have finished the contents of the little w. J. Lye—European Assistant, Chiu Ho—each day. But we have gone a little be-box of opium. Some Obinamen who Ping—Chinese Assistant for English. Fung youd No. 92. If a person unacquainted can afford it smoke two or three such—

TELUCIBLE TROUTSDEED OF SAL GRAN SITEL MESTING THE DOCUMENT GENERAL SERVICE ADJUST TO THE PROPERTY AND AND AND SERVICES.

coloured lamps, the numbers of reclining in a moment. It is wonderful how soon the Colony a great many valued and trusted to the usual method this year, appending lower toom hange one of the finest Chinese friends whom I may, perhaps, not be the Subscriptions received last year which lamps that can be wisde, and which is said The ceiling is of richly-carved wood, while

given out as required. If you ask one of employes, that they shall not smoke the drug-themselves, from which he derives what even a European would consider almost a princely income. The average

daily receipts are said to be nearly 100,000 The smoking apartments are divided into classes of which there are four. In the cheapest, or number 4, you will find coolies who about 110 cash for their smoke; in the next houseboys and others who indules to the extent of 120 cash; in number 2, small shopkeepers and the like who pay 130 cash while in number 1. the dearest, the

charge is 150 cash. The boxes in each contain very nearly the same quantity of the drug, about one mace. It is the difference in the kind of pipe which principally regulates the price paid by the opium smoker. The best is made of ivory, with the stem often inlaid with stones, and rendered more costly by reason of the elaborate carving, the ordinary cost of a pipe of this kind being \$150. The next has a good deal of silver in its composition, and costs somewhere about \$30 each. The third is made of bamboo and brass; and is valued at about \$15; the fourth is made of a hard wood and is worth only a few dollars. There are in all about 150 pipes, and the entire number are often pulling togo * ther Most of the smokers are in

couples, as is the g neral custom. The smoking rooms are furnished according to class. In the most expensive, the lounge upon which the smoker reclines is of fine velvet with, pillows of the same material. In the centre of each is a small stand for the lamp. These rooms contain about fifty such conches. The frames of each are inlaid with mother-o'-pearl, and jade, which add greatly to their value. There is one in particular which would fill a lover of riental farniture with ravishment, so exquisite is the inlaying. The walls are covered with very tolerable Chinese ideas of art. The whole air of these rooms is one of sensuous luxury. There are some two dozen special rooms for the smoker who

desires to enjoy his pipe in solitude, or only

with one other person, away from the com-

mon herd. Here we open the door for a moment and are surprised to find many Chinamen, who outside profess to detest the very name of opium. Trusted compradores of foreign hongs may here be often caught it the illicit pleasure of the pipe. You will also generally find in the poorest section many shaven crowns, without the queue, What Chinamam has sot heard of the and recognise in the tattered yellow and grey robes the forms of the priests from Buddhist or Taoist temples. The great majority of the smokers in the place are men, but there is still a fair percentage of female votaries of the pipe, to be found here. These however are chiefly of the singing girl, or concubine class, as a decent China-woman, however poor or low, seldom comes here. You may perhaps come across a presture with glassy eyes and loud vacent laugh, whom you think you know, and on looking closer you recognise your houseboy whom you fondly believed to be above the slightest suspicion of opium, while all the time he was an abject slave to the seductions of the vice, spending his earnings, and supplementing them by trilling pillerings to supply the foxious fumes. You understandnow, how it is that he looked so ill and emaciated of late, his stupidity in carrying out your orders, and the mysterious diswoughtrow of the walls of the City. appearance of aundry little articles from your drawers at home. Go up to him, and speak, and, see, he does not appear to feel the least abashed at being detected in his enthralling vice, but laughs vacantly at you, and plies his piece of wire once more to turn the viscid drop of opium which he prepares to furnish himself with another

> you will most likely find him amongst the wretched shivering idiotic crowd who jabber About the door outside." It is commonly believed that a sleep

transitory pleasurable tensation. You tell

him that you require him no more, but the

intelligence does not just then affect him in

the least, so deeply is he under the spell of

the intoxication. Return another day, and

the other inmates, but happily we have not to record any death. This fever was not caused by hay defect in the premises. It was an epidemia that broke out in almost wery house in the Western part of Hong stalls of native shocking stalls of native shocking such wording such the Western part of Hong stalls of native shocks; whiches, and chap worded as the death where so the load that during the last eight years there has been only one death, which happened is 1882.

The number of pupils, soin hearders and daysecholars has innecessed during the post of the record the country of the post of the pupils. The surface of the pupils and hearders and the record the pupils are not the post of the pupils. The surface of the pupils are not the post of the country of the post of the pupils are not the pupils while stilly a norticle vintulness such of their pupils. The pupils is called the country of the past of the country of the past of the would have been larger but and the property of the past of the fever 34 boys lightled the country to contract septiments requirement of 50 days after a series that people in each expression which the pupils is not the fever at the pupils in each expression which is the pupils in each expression which is the pupils and in with necessal during the past of the pupils in each expression which is the pupils in each expression which is the pupils in the pupils in each expression which is the pupils in each expression which is the pupils in each expression which is the pupils in each of the pupils in each expression which is the pupils in the pupils of the pupils in each of the pupils in each expression which is the pupils in the pupils

Insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTEP OF His Majesty King George The First, А. р. 172).

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are propared to grant Insurances us follows :--

Marine Department. Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department. Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates.

Life Department. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

> LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

(FIRE AND LIFE) CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STEELING.

ceived, and transmitted to the Directors Europe. for their decision.

For Rates of Premiuns, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Agents, Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks on First Class Godowns at per cent. net premium per annum. NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to Insura against FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882. Mails.

U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP

COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOROHAMA, AND BAN FRANCISCO.

HHE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF the Agency's Office.) NEW YORK will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, THURSDAY, the 5th May, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, Company's Office.

the United States, and Europa. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and

Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. RETURN PASSAGES. - Passengers, have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa)

within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to

Europe. Freight will be received on board until p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value

of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to ports beyond San Francisco should be sent to the Complny's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN,

Hongkong, April 16, 1887.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, TRIESTE, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA. & BALTIO PORTS;

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

AISO.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.-Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

1887, at Noon, the Company's calling at GENOA.

Noon, Cargo will be received on board left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co..

Agents. Hongkong, April 18, 1887.

Mails.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING

STEAMERS. THE Steamship GAELIC will despatched for San Francisco, via

Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 26th April, Connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

the scope of the Review in this direction, All Parcel Packages should be marked to the Magazine would be mademore generally address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

RETURN PASSACES. -- Passengers. Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) critiques embodying sketches of the Most within six months, will be allowed a discount recent works on such topics. Authors and THE Undersigned are prepared to grant of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking Publishers are requested to forward works Policies against the Risk of FIRE on within one year, an allowance of 10 % will to Editor, China Review, care of China Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on be made from Roburn Fare. Pre-Paid Re- Mail Office.' Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of burn Passage Orders, available for one year,

Proposals for Life Assurances will be re- to through fares from China and Japan to ledge on obscure points. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo If required, protection will be granted on destined to ports beyond San Francisco, first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single | should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50a, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN, Hongkong, April 5, 1887. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK

SEA PORTS. MARSEILLES, AND PORTS. OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA: LONDON. HAVRE, BORDEAUX,

14 N THURSDAY, the 28th of April, 1887, at Noon, the Company's YANGTSE, Commandant LORMIER, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the numbers.'-Celestial Empire.

DUNKIRK AND ANTWERP.

bove places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accopted in transit through Marseilles for the fully maintains the high standard of principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until tation, and altogether forms a very

p. m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, April 20, 1887.

Intimations.

SUMMER TIME TABLE. THE KOWLOON FERRY.

STEAM-LAUNCH

MORNING STAR Runs Daily as a FERRY BOAT between Peddar's Wharf and Tsim-Tsa-Tsui at the following hours :- This Time Table will take effect from the 15TH APRIL, 1887.

				253.5
WEEK	DAYS.	SUND.	AYB.): -
Leaves K'loor	n. Leaves H.K.	Leaves K'loon	. Leznes b	ı.K.
6.00 A.M.	. 7.00 a.m.	. 6.00 A.M.	7.00 A	. Ж.
8.00	8.30	7.30 ,,	8.00	,,
8.50	9.00	9.00	10.15	"
9.40	10.15*	10.30 ,,	10.45))
10.30*	12.30 P.M.		NOON.	:
12.45 р.м		12.30 P.M.	1,15 P	M.
1.30 ,	2.00 ,,	1.30	2.00	,,
2.20 ,,		2.30	3.30	
2.00	4.00	3.30	4.00	
4.15	4.30	4.15	4.30	
4.50	5.10	4.50	5.10	37 27
= 0= "	5.40	5.25	5.40	
P PP !!	6.15		6.15	
6.45	7.00	6.45	7.00	"
U.30		V 4 1		33

* There will be no Launch on Monday and Friday, on account of coaling. The above Time Table will be strictly adhered to, except under unavoidable circumstances. In case of stress of weather, 732 due notice will be given of any stoppages.

> NOW COMPLETE SUPPLEMENT

CHINESE DICTIONARY CANTONESE DIALECT,

> DE. E. J. RITEL. CROWN OCTAVO, PP. 1018. Hongkong, 1877-1883.

K.M, ... \$2,50 Part IL M-T, \$3.00 T-Y, \$3.00 Part III.

Part IV. Reduced price, per Complete Set, \$10.00, or, for Five Sets, \$40.00. This Standard Work on the Chinese Lan-

guage, constructed on the basis of Kanghi's Notes' and Queries' are destined to Marion Imperial Dictionary, contains nearly all Chi- and a place in its pages also. It is to be Monocacy N FRIDAY, the 13th day of May, nese characters in practical use, and while hoped that this opening for contributions Mordj alphabetically arranged according to the on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar Nautilus Steamship ODER. Captain Preserger, sounds of the oldest dialect of China, the Can-degree of literary zoal to that which was Nayezdink with MATLS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, tonese, it gives also the Mandarin pronundisplayed during the lifetime of its prede-Omaha and CARGO, will leave this port as above, ciution of all characters explained in the cessor in the field, and that the China Review Palos willing at Genoa.

Shipping Orders will be granted till confined to the Cantonese Dialect, but the its continuance.

Paloe

Paloe

Paloe

Paloe

Paloe

Parseval

Pinyier work is a practically complete Thesaurus of until 4 p.m., Specie and Purcels until 3 the whole Written Language of China, and p.m. on the 12th blay. (Parcels are cient and modern, as used all over the not to be sent on board; they must be Empire, whilst its introductory chapters serve the purposes of a philological guide to the student.

A Supplement, arranged for being bound and used by itself, and containing a List of the Radicals, an Index, and a List of Surnames, is published and sold separately. LANE, OBAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, April 4, 1887.

THE CHINA REVIEW PUBLISHED BL-MONTHLY

TENTH YEAR.

HIS Review, which was intended to meet the wants of many students of Chinese caused by the discontinuance of ' Notes and Queries on China and Japan, has reached its Fourteenth Volume. The Review discusses those topics which are uppermost in the minds of students of the Far East' and about which every intelligent person connected with China or Japan is desirous of acquiring trustworthy information. It includes many interesting Notes and original Papers on the Arts, Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Natural History, Antiquities, and Social Manners and Customs, etc., etc., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, and the Far East generally. Recontly a new departure has been taken, and the Review now gives papers on Trade, Commerce, and

The Review department receives special attention, and endeavours are made to who present a careful and concise record of have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Literature on China etc., and to give

Descriptive notes of Travel by well-known

writers. It was thought that by extending

The Notes and Queries are still continued Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from and form an important means of obtaining Return Fare. These allowances do not apply from and diffusing among students know-The Correspondents' column also affords

farther and greater facilities for the interchange of views and discussion of various Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, ceived. The papers are contributed by the members of the various Consular, the Imperial Customs, and Hongkong Services, and also by the Missionary bodies amongst whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is assiduously cultivated. Amongst the

Legge, and Messrs Balfour, Watters, Stent, Phillips, MacIntyre, Groot, Jamieson, Faber, Kopsch, Parker, Playfair, Giles, Piton, and Taylor, -all well-known names, indicative of sound scholarship and thorough mastery of their subject. The Subscription is fixed at \$6.50 per

annum, postage included - payable in ad-Orders for binding volumes will promptly attended to; Address, Manager, China Mail Office.

OPINIONS OF THE PRESS. 'All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review.'-Northern Christian Advocate (U.S.) 'The China Review * * * * has an excellent table of contents.'-- Celestial Empire. The Publication always contains subjects of interest to sojourners in the Far East and the present issue will hold favourable if not advantageous comparison, with preceding

of interest and value.'-North-China Herald. 'The China Review for September-October excellence which characterises that publiinteresting and readable number. Cargo will be received on board until 4 'corologists will find an interesting and valuable contribution by Dr. Fritsche, Contents and value of Packages are resian Observatory at Peking, from 1841 to Wellielm Weyer 4 k Mudbrodt Ger. bqtin. 294 April 20 Siemssen & Co. 1880. "Notes on the Dutch Occupation For further particulars, apply at the of Formosa," by Mr. Geo. Phillips, contains some interesting information, although

much of it is second-hand. The Notices of New Books include a most generous and appreciative review of "The Divine Classic of Nan-Hus," and the Notes and Queries are as usual very interesting. - North-China Daily News. 'A substantial and reliable Review which all students of China and the Chinese would do well to patronise.'-Chrysanthemum. 'The November-December number of the China Review contains less variety than usual, but the few articles are very interesting. The opening paper by Mr Herbert A. Giles on "The New Testament in Chinese" treats of a question that must neces-

earily be of great importance in the eyes of all missionaries. . . Mr E. H. Parker's "Short Journeys in Szechuen are continued, and a goodly instalment of these travels in the interior of China is given. Mr F. H. Balfour contributes a paper of some length entitled "The Emperor Cheng, founder of the Chinese Empire," which will be read with genuine interest by students of Chinese history. A few short notices of New Books and a number of Notes and Queries, one of which On Chinese Oaths in Western Borneo and Java" might appropriately have been placed under a separate heading, complete the number. —H.K. Daily Press.

Trubner's Oriental Record contains the

following notice of the Ohina Review: The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, some what similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be locked or from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated. and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors . . . Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh Aragon century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. O. Bowra, Aspic
la not only historically valuable, but is also Aurora
distinguished by its literary grace. Beaids Brooklyn
notices of new books relating to China and Combte
the East, which will be a useful feature of Essex the Review, if carried out with punctuality Jaguar and detail, we are glad to notice that Lutin

NOW READY

THE COMMERCIAL LAW AFFECT.

ING CHINESE; with special refer-

ence to PARTNERSUIP REGISTRATION AND

BANKBUPTCY LAWS IN HONGROUG

Copies may be had at the Ching Mail Vostock Office, and at Messis, LARS, CRAWFORD & Wolf Qu. Prios, 75 cents.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To tacilitate in ding the position of any vesser in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing at

Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the

Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 1. From Groun Island to the Gas Works. 8, From Blue Buildings to East Point. 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf. 9. From Kellett's Island to North Point 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office. 10. Kowloon Wharves. 4. From Hachour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.

11. Jardine's Wharf. 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard. Date of Remarks. Flag and Destination. Consignees or Agends. Captain. Vessel's Name. Steamers. Chefoo & N'chwang To-morrow 558 April 24 Wieler & Co. To-morrow 720 April 25 Chinese Kloon Dock Hothow, &c. 923 April 24 Bun Hin Chan Swatow To-morrow Shanghai To-day

Amigo......3 c Hundewadt ... Ger. Atholi Brit. str. Chelydia...... 7 c Peace Brit. str. 1574 April 24 Gibb, Livingston & Co. 1093 April 22 Siemssen & Co. China 3 c Haye Ger. str. City of New York 4 k Searle Amer. str. 3129 April 21 P. M. S. S. Co. Wanchai : 648 Nov. 13 Siemssen & Co. Haiphong ... To-morrow Patent slip 866 Feb. 23 Adamson, Bell & Co. Danish Monarch Burgoyne Brit. str. Amoy & Manila 514 April 24 Russell & Co. Diamante 5 c McCaslin Brit. str. To-day Amoy & Manila To-morrow San Francisco Glenfruin 5 c Norman Brit. str. 1936 April 23 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Kaisow 8 c Thomson....... Brit. str. 1934 April 24 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. 639 regular contributors are Drs. Chalmers, Lennox8 c Thearle Brit. str. 520 April 24 Adamson, Bell & Co. Eitel, Brotschneider, and Hirth, Professor Marcia Marcia McIntosh Brit. str. 1060 April 25 Takasima Colliery Agency Nemisis7 c Lelubez Feb. yeht. Phra Chula Chom Klao 2 h Lightwood Brit. str. 1011 April 23 Yuen Fat Hong 161 June 2 H. K. & W. Dock Co. Pilot Fish b h Stopani Brit. tug. China Traders Insurance Co. Coast Ports To-morrow Vortagern 3 c Brown Brit. str. 873 April 19 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Sailing Vessels Amphitrite....... 6 k Anderson Brit. sh. 1707 Feb. 23 Carlowitz & Co. Havre & London San Francisco 947 Feb. 16 Melchers & Co. Annie Johnson 4 c Hall Amer. bqe. 441 Feb. Eudora 3 c Fulton Brit. bqe. 1:42 April 20 Chinese Fifeshire......4 c Greig Brit. bqe. 1318 April 22 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. F. H. Drews 5 c Rothbart Ger. bqe. flattie E. Tapley 5 k Telfa Brit. bqe. London & Hamburg 923 Mar. 27 Carlowitz & Co. 'This number contains several articles

697 Jan. 29 Gonsalves & Co. ... Amer. boe. John C. Potter o c Curtis Lilian 3 c Holland Haw. bge. 340 April Manhegan 8 h Paulsen Brit. bqc. 1143 Mar. 19 Pustan & Co.
Marianno 8 h Vialla Fren. bqc. 469 April 22 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Penshaw....... 5 c Parker Brit. bqe. 729 Feb. 10 Lane, Crawford & Co. Spartan4 c Cairns Amer. bqe. 749 Mar. 2 Gonsalves & Co. State of Maine 3 c Nickels Amer. sh. 1467 Oct. 29 Russell & Co. the 27th April, 1887. (Parcels are not on "the Amount of Precipitation (Rain to be sent on board; they must be left at and Snow) of Peking," showing the results of observations made at the Imperial Ruster and value of Packages are re-279 Mar. 31 Blackhead & Co.

New York New York Honolulu Callao

San Francisco, &c.

Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain	Where at
Alacrity Audacious* Chambion Cleopatra Cockchafer Constance Daring Eak Espoir Firebrand Heroine Leander Linnet Merlin Midge Rambler Sapphire Satellite Solent Swift Tweed Victor Emanuel Wanderer Wivern Zephyr	despatch-vessel double-screw tron frigate corvette gunboat corvette sloop gunboat corvette cruiser gun-vessel gunboat hilk sloop corvette cruiser torpedo mining launch gun-vessel gunboat receiving ship gunboat turret-ship gunboat	1400 6010 2380 2380 465 2380 940 360 465 455 1420 3750 755 430 603 830 1970 1420 150 756 360 5157 925 2750 438	10 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14	4330 2340 2610 470 2590 920 340 470 460 1470 5000 1050 430 690 2360 1400 - 1010 340 750 1450 530	Captain R. Blair Maconochie Capt. Robert Hastings Harris Captain A. T. Powlett Captain L. C. Keppel LieutCom. H. H. Boteler Capt. Seymour Dacres LieutCom. Macres LieutCom. H. R. Adams LieutCom. Denison Captain Chas. J. Balfour Captain M. J. Dunlop Commander W. Marrack LieutCom. W. M. Maturin Commander W. M. Maturin Commander W. U. Moore Captain R. G. Kinahan Captain Arthur H. Alington Commodore Maxwell Captain Orford Churchill Lieut:-Com. Chas. K. Hope	Hongkong Johore Johore Johore Johore Canton Nagasaki Yokohama In reserve Singapore Shanghai Johore Hongkong On a cruise Hongkong Hongkong Amoy Swatow Singapore Hongkong Hongkong Hongkong Hongkong Hongkong Johore Hongkong Johore Hongkong

· Flagship of Vice-Admiral Vesey Hamilton, Commander-in-Chief.

For H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Where at. Flag and Rig. Manila Captain D. E. Zulnaga 1908 Spanish cruiser Yokohama Commander Rupe 470 French gunboat Hongkong. Captain Franz Muller 1430 en route Hongkong Austro-Humgarian cruiser Flagship of Admiral Chandler 390**Q** : U. S frigate Lieut, Commander Noirot Haiphong **47**5 450 French gunboat Commander Jewel On a cruise 1375 U. S. corveste Lieut Commander Fouet Haiphong Haiphong French gumboat Captain Neny 425 485 French gunboat Commander Merrill Miller Yokohama. U. S. corvette Yokohama Commander H. Glass 1370 455 1470 U. S. sloop Corea Commander Moltsoff Russian guntoat Shanghai Captain von Hoven 755 1330 2400 German gun-versel Singapore. Captain Zarine Russian cruiser Nagasaki Capt. Courtis 1150 Lieut. Com. Thomas Nelson U. S. corvetts Nagasaki 420 U. S. gunboat Topkin. 540 2200 French gunboat Lieut. Commandar Poidloue Haiphong French gunboat Captain Veron Freuch cruiser Primauguet Captain F. Grevalt Tonkin 1458 540 1100 Italian cruiser Captain Raphael d'Andrada Hongkong Portuguese gunboat Captain Menschicoff Rio Lima Hongrong Rossian cruiser Nagasaki Commander Sucurieff Russian craiser Japan -Commander Boyle 455 610 Rusian gunboat Commander P. I. Gouveis Timour Portuguese gonboat Japan Hongkong 4250 5880 French frigate Turenne O.p.ain Lang Russian corvette 1330 Amoy Viadivostock Capt. de Marollez Vestnik

Commander Man housky

Captain Josselike

480

French gunboat

Rosaish gunboat.

German Pumboat

SHIPPING IN CHINA, J. PAN. PHILIPPINES, AND BIAM WATERS.

WHAMPOA. May & Rig. Brit. str. Chefoo Brit. str. Fooksang Chi. str. Shanghai Fushun Glenartney Brit. str. Brit, str. Shanghai Peking Brit. str.

Yangtszo

AMOY. In port on April 19, 1887. MERCHANT STEAMERS. British Bellerphon

British Nanshan MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Brit. bge. Archos Christian Ger. bge. Br. 3m. sc. L'Avvenire

In port on April 16, 1887. MERCHANT STEAMERS. Nanzing British

MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Ger. bge. Wagrien Amer. sch.

SHANGHAI in port on April 18, 1887. MERCHANT STEAMERS. British Bokhara British Chow-chow-foo British British Gleneagles British Hangchow British Ingeborg Kiang-kwan Chinese Kung Wo Brtiish Kwang Lee Chinese British Ningpo Pechili British Store Nordiske Danish Tokio Maru Japanese W. C. de Vries British Hankow, &c. Yangtse French Hankow, &c.

Yungching Chinese Hankow, &c. Chinese Yung-ning MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Amer. sh Chihaya Maru Japan. bq. Hagerstown Amer. sh. Norw. bqs. Hoiden Brit. sh. L. Burrill S. Dall'Orso Ital. bqe. NAGASAKI

In port on April 13, 1887. Kozaki Maru Japan, bqe.

YOKOHAMA. In port on April 9, 1887. Brit. sch. Brit. bge. Archunede Aretio Amer. sch. Diana Amer. sch. Brit. bge. George Hallgerd Brit. sh. Brit, sch. Nemo Br. 3m. sch. HIQGO.

in port on April 19, 1867 Ger. bge. MANILA. In port on April 5, 1887

Brit. sh. Brit, bge. Fildenhope Norw. sh. Hungerund Henry Failing Amer. sh. J. T. Berry Amer. sh. Ger. bqe. Kopler Amer, sh. Lucile Ger. sch. Martha Davis Siam. bqe. Manuel Mindoro Amer. sh. Brit. sch. R. L. T. Brit. sh. The Tweed

Thiorya

ILOILO. In Post on March 19, 1887. Ital. bqs. Ger. bqe.

Brit.

CEBU. In Port on March 19, 1887 Emma Marr

BANGKOK. In port on April 2, 1887. Brit. bqe. Aurora Siam, bqe. Advance Brit. bqe. Batavia Siam. 3 sc. Siam. sch. Confucus Siam, boe. Diamond City Siam. bg. Doretta Siam. bqe. **Fortune** Siam, bg. Goliah Brit. bgs. Hei-Cheong Siam. sch. Kong Lee Siam. sch. Meridian

Mount Lebenon Amen, th

Young Siam Siam, boe.

Printed and published by GRO. MURRAY Bain, at the China Mail Office, No. 2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

Siam, boe.